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# TRANSPORTS DEPART FOR MANILA.

## SPANIARDS ARE ROUTED IN CUBA.

### Forty Killed During an Engagement and Not One American Falls.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

U. S. CAMP, ENTRANCE OF GUANTANAMO BAY, Tuesday, June 14.—6 P. M., via Kingston, Jamaica, June 15.—The United States marines and Cubans today attacked the Spanish camp situated five miles from the American entrenchments. They completely routed a force of 400 Spaniards, breaking up their camp and destroying the well which supplied them with water. One American was slightly wounded, two Cubans killed and four wounded. The Spanish loss is believed to be forty men killed.

Fifteen bodies have already been discovered.

Off Santiago de Cuba on Monday night the dynamite guns of the Vesuvius were tested with great success. Three shots were fired at the Spanish fortifications and it is believed that much damage was done. On Tuesday morning the New Orleans shelled and partially destroyed the new emplacements, east of Morro Castle.

The Spaniards fired some shots at the Vesuvius, and one at the New Orleans, which was struck.

## SPANISH ROUTED AT GUANTANAMO.

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GUANTANAMO, June 14, Tuesday, 6 P. M.—The American marines and the Cubans today completely routed a force of 400 Spaniards. One American was slightly wounded. The Spaniards lost about forty killed.

LONDON, June 15.—The Star today reiterates the story that Emperor William of Germany has ordered the German Consul at Manila to oppose the debarkation of American troops unless in sufficient force to maintain order and protect the citizens. The Star says that an order to this effect has been given to the United States Embassy at Berlin and Secretary Day at Washington.

Admiral Diedrichs, according to the Star, has 2,400 troops and he could disembark 1,500 with two batteries of artillery for the partial occupation of Manila.

Continuing, the Star says: "Germany is not likely to have taken such a grave step without securing the adhesion of other powers interested in the far East, namely Russia, Japan and England. They are certainly hostile to German's project, but it is not thought likely that they will raise objections and we may soon have very important news from Manila."

## RUSSIA MAY ASSIST SPAIN

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

LONDON, June 15.—A special dispatch from Madrid published this afternoon purports to give the substance of an interview with Senor Sagasta, the Spanish Premier, who is quoted as saying that yesterday's rise on the Bourse was due to telegrams advising leading financial firms that Russia had taken steps to intervene shortly in the settlement of the Philippine question. The Premier added, however, that personally he had no knowledge of such intervention.

## BRAVE SOLDIERS SAIL TO THE WAR

### Second Fleet to Go to Dewey's Aid Leaves San Francisco This Afternoon Amid Wild Cheers.

Associated Press Dispatches by
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SAN FRANCISCO, June 15.—Shortly after noon the announcement was made that the steamer Senator which had been lying at her dock all night taking on cargo, was ready to go into the stream, and about 1 o'clock the order was given to cast off. At the same time Major-General Greene ordered the transports Colon, China and Zealandia, which had anchored off the Mail dock last night, to weigh anchors and to proceed up the bay to join the Senator, which had continued her voyage oceanwards without coming to anchor.

Thousands of people had assembled along the docks to witness the departure of the fleet, and when signals ordering the vessels to get under way were observed a mighty cheer went up.

Added to the cheering of the people was the blowing of whistles and the ringing of bells. Every steam vessel in the harbor with steam up blew long blasts from her siren, and every factory and mill in the manufacturing districts saluted the vessels with blasts from its whistles. Bombs were exploded and cannon were fired, and amidst this hubbub the four stately vessels bearing their loads of humanity and munitions of war passed down the bay.

The excitement was intense. The water front was black with people and the waving of flags and handkerchiefs presented a beautiful sight. The vessels in the harbor dipped their colors as the transports passed by, and countless yachts and other small craft trailed behind the big steamers as closely as safety would permit.

The transports themselves were picturesque indeed. All available space was occupied by soldiers. High up in the rigging they climbed; every port-hole was filled by a smiling face, and the guard rails were hidden beneath struggling masses trying to get points of vantage to get one last glimpse of the city and the thousands of people who have treated them so kindly since they have been in this city. The soldiers were as jolly a lot as could be found, and to see their happy faces one could scarcely imagine that many of them were going away to fight for the honor of their flag in a foreign land, and that many of them, possibly, would never return. The men cheered themselves hoarse and waved their hats and handkerchiefs until their arms ached.

The small bay craft continued on down the bay with the soldier boys, every now and then saluting the big steamers, which were picking up their speed at every revolution of the propellers. At last only the more powerful of the consorts could keep up with the big liners, and one by one they were dropped behind. Tug boats and ferry boats chartered for the occasion followed the vessels down the bay to the Golden Gate.

The afternoon was well nigh gone when the transports reached the ocean, and only a few of the "good-bye boats" were with them, but the men were still perched in the rigging and waving their good-byes in response to the waving adieux of the people on the decks of the smaller boats. The send-off that was given the boys was one that will linger in their memories to the grave.

The four vessels will make fast time to Honolulu, where they will re-coal and proceed on their way to join the first fleet of transports which left this city three weeks ago today bound for the Philippines.

It is expected that the China will reach Honolulu first on account of her superior speed, but that will count for little, as the faster boats will wait for the others, so the boats will reach their destinations about the same time.

THE SOLDIER BOYS ABOARD.

Assigned to the China, Major-General Greene's flagship and the largest, fastest and finest vessel of the fleet, are the First Regiment Colorado Volunteer Infantry, 1,022 men, half a battalion of the Eighteenth U. S. Infantry, 150 men, and a detachment of United States engineers, 20 men.

The Colon took four companies of the Twenty-third Infantry and two companies of the Eighteenth Infantry, both of the regular army, and Battery A of the Utah Artillery. In the battery were 121 men and in each infantry company 75 men besides the officers, making less than 600 military passengers. The control of the ship was given to Lieutenant Bailey of the Eighteenth Infantry.

On the Zelandia were the Pennsylvania Volunteers and Battery B of the Utah Volunteers. With the gunners went two Maxim fighting machines, which, as a precautionary measure, were placed ready for action in the bow of the vessel. In all there were 640 privates and 60 officers.

On the steamer Senator is the First Regiment of Nebraska Volunteers, 1,023 men and officers.

## READY TO DEPART.

Associated Press Dispatches by
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WASHINGTON, June 15.—An authoritative statement was made at the War Department to-day contradicting the reports from Chickamauga that 15,000 troops have been ordered to move at once. It is said that the orders sent to the commanding officers at Chickamauga direct the equipping and arming of troops at the earliest possible moment. This, however, is in line with the general policy of hurrying up preparations all along the line.

The order did not suggest any movement of 15,000 men. It may be naturally inferred that these orders to expedite the equipment will lead up to subsequent orders for movement of the troops. Such orders, however, are for the future to bring forth. In pursuance of the order to equip the troops General Brooke sent a dispatch to the War Department to-day asking as to the whereabouts of the ordnance stores essential for this equipment. Stores are on the way, and although there has been considerable delay the officials believe this will be straightened out in a few days and that the work of equipment will be carried out.

## VOLUNTEERS AND REGULARS FIGHT.

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WASHINGTON, June 15.—A special to the Post from Old Point Comfort, Va., says a hot fight occurred last night in the streets of the village of Phoebus between Maryland volunteers and regulars from Fort Monroe. Officers from the volunteers and regulars were hastily summoned, and ended the fighting after about seventy-five prisoners were taken and sent to the guard house. It is said about twenty men received injuries, none of them serious, during the melee.

## MANILA HEMMED IN BY REBELS.

### General Augusti Informs His Government of His Unenviable Position.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

MADRID, June 15.—A dispatch received here from Captain General Augusti dated Manila, June 6th, says:

"The situation continues critical. The enemy surrounds the town. I have had our line drawn closer around the city and strengthened at intervals by trochas.

"Communication is cut. I expect General Monet with reinforcements, but I have no news from him.

"The white population of the suburbs, fearing they would be massacred by the rebels and preferring the risk of bombardment, have entered the fortified part of the town and will assist in its defense. I do not know when the bombardment will commence."

## STARVATION STALKS WITHIN SANTIAGO.

OFF SANTIAGO DE CUBA, Saturday, June 11.—4 P. M. per the Associated Press Dispatch Boat Wanda, via Kingston, Jamaica, June 12—7 P. M.—Rear Admiral Sampson and Commodore Schley with their combined forces are slowly but surely placing such a network about Santiago de Cuba and are cutting off so effectually every source of outside aid, that within a short time starvation's tapping will give way to death's solid knock for admittance at the doors of the ill-fated place.

Within three days three separate sources of supply and reinforcement have been cut off, and Santiago de Cuba is now isolated from the world and is down to famine rations.

When Admiral Cervera arrived at Santiago de Cuba with his fleet the people there welcomed him for the relief that they expected. They thought he would bring food, but instead of food he brought them 700 more men to feed. The only aid he had to offer was the tons of ammunition in his ship's magazines.

A map of the harbor furnished by spies shows that after the bombardment of the harbor forts on May 31st by Commodore Schley the Spanish cruiser Reina Mercedes, which was disabled, was towed into the bay behind Socapa battery, where she lies with two torpedo boats. Half a mile further up under the lee of Cayosmith and the mortar batteries is the Vizcaya, commanding with her broadside the two narrow entrances to the east and west of Cayosmith. Half a mile north and at the gate of the third narrow entrance, lies the Almirante Oquendo, and half a mile to the northeast are the Cristobal Colon and the Maria Teresa.

The ships are about a mile and a half from the city proper, shallow water forbidding them to go much closer. The sunken collier Merrimac is directly in the narrow part of the channel.

## CUBANS WILL AID.

Associated Press Dispatches by
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WASHINGTON, June 15.—The Navy Department to-day posted the following bulletin:

"Admiral Sampson reports that he has been reinforced by several hundred Cubans and that our force at Guantanamo is in a very satisfactory condition. The town of Acerraderos has been occupied by the troops under General Rabi. The men under General Garcia are co-operating with the American forces."

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# THE CUBAN EXPEDITION.

WASHINGTON, June 15.—With General Shafter's expedition on the way to Santiago and the military branch busily engaged in preparing the expedition to be sent against Porto Rico, there is nothing for the navy to do but wait patiently for the troops at Santiago.

One report has come from Sampson telling of engagements between the marines, a fight at Crest Heights and the Spanish troops in the chapparel, and no mention has yet been made officially of any of the subsequent night attacks upon the marines. In his dispatch of Monday night Admiral Sampson spoke of the first affair as an attack upon American outposts, and the naval authorities here feel, because he made no further mention of engagements, that the subsequent engagements described by the press have been of an insignificant character.

It is realized that the situation of the marines is a very uncomfortable one, suffering as they are from harrassing night attacks, which prevent them from securing much needed rest, and unable, because of the character of the country and the tactics adopted by the enemy, to get a fair chance at them. However, the department is assured that there is no real danger in the situation, because if seriously threatened by an overwhelming force, the marines will very shortly retire aboard the American warships, where they would be in perfect safety.

THE FLAG MUST FLOAT.

It is mainly sentiment, embodied in a determination to keep the American flag over the place where it was planted and thus retaining for the navy the honor of being the first to plant the flag on shore.

It is true, however, that an important secondary purpose will be served by their presence, as the place will afford a proper cable station when the French cable between Hayti and Santiago is spliced. It is possible to operate a cable from a ship in the harbor, but the communication in such cases is precarious and undesirable. Word has come to the Navy Department that the St. Paul has left Cape Haytien with operators and instruments for the cable, and it would not be surprising if Sampson opens direct communication with us at almost any moment. What threatened to be an international difficulty over the operating of the cable has been avoided.

POSITION OF THE FLEET.

Although Tampa dispatches say that the transport fleet was going to double Cape Antonio, the western extremity of Cuba, in proceeding to Santiago, the naval officials do not believe this is the case, for the reason that the western route is 200 miles longer than the route by way of Cape Maysi, and the transports would have to fight the Gulf stream until they got clear around Cape Antonio. On the eastern course the ships would have the full benefit of the favorable current until they reached Cape Maysi, about two-thirds the distance to be traveled.

It is believed here that the report that the ships were westward bound grew from the circumstances that they headed for the Tortugas, the point selected for the fleet of transports to pick up the heavier vessels of the convoy squadron, such as the Indiana, which has not been able to get within ten miles of Key West because of lack of water. The officials see no reason to correct their original estimate that the troops will be off Santiago Friday.

# BLOCKADE RUNNING.

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NEW YORK, June 15.—A special from Kingston, Jamaica, quotes an officer of the British cruiser Talbot as saying that supplies in small quantities are reaching Havana across the island from Batabano and apparently from Jamaica.

The Persima Concepcion changed on Saturday to the English flag and completed her cargo of 8,000 packages of flour, rice and corn. She will sail for Cuba. She endeavored to obtain an English captain.

Consul Dent formally protested, the ultimate destination of the cargo being for a blockaded port. He maintained it was a direct violation of neutrality, and that the American Government will set up this claim, probably with the evidence now in its possession.

The Benito Estanger has also succeeded in changing her flag, and will load a cargo for Manzanillo.

The Spanish steamer Manuel Raoul arrived at Montegro bay Friday, endeavoring to obtain a cargo of supplies for Manzanillo.

A Spanish commissariat, of course, went on board, and probably the supplies were destined for the Spanish army.

Unless immediate action is taken by the American Government, the Kingston dispatch says, the blockade will be practically nullified by supplies reaching the blockaded towns from Jamaica.

Merchants here are looking for Spanish purchasers at fancy prices, and are speculating heavily in food stuffs. Much suspicion has been aroused at Kingston, the correspondent says, by the cargo of the schooner City of Kingston, which has arrived from New York. The cargo consists of 400 cases of pork, 125 bags of corn, 577 bales of tobacco, 1,000 bags of rice and 1,200 barrels and 1,800 bags of flour.

The cargo seems much too large for a single firm to handle in ordinary trade, and it is believed to be destined for transshipment to Cuba, for the Spanish troops.

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# EAGER TO LEAVE CHICKAMAUGA.

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CHICKAMAUGA, National Park, June 15.—The report that fifteen regiments are to leave Camp Thomas for Tampa, Fla., in the next few days is the main topic of conversation in camp to-day and is being discussed by both officers and men. It is impossible to confirm the report, as the army officials refuse to discuss it, but nearly every man in camp now believes it.

When the news of a move gained circulation there was general rejoicing among the soldiers. The greater portion of them have been very anxious to go to the front, and now that there is a fair prospect of a large number of regiments leaving, the boys are all anxious to know just who will be included in the order. This is not known, and will not be made public until Major General Brooke issues an order. It is understood that the Eighth, Ninth, Twelfth and Fourteenth New York, Third and Fifth Illinois, First, Fourth, Fifth, Ninth and Sixteenth Pennsylvania, Fourth Ohio and Eighth Massachusetts will be among the first to be ordered to the front. In addition to these regiments, there are many others which lack only a small amount of equipment and which could be equipped for operation without much trouble.

The rains which have fallen since Sunday have added materially to the comfort of the army life and afforded an excellent opportunity for active work. To-day every regiment is drilling and manoeuvering, and the field is covered with them.

Major Nye, Depot Commissary of Subsistence of the volunteer army, has just completed a general inspection of the various warehouses located in the city and at Chickamauga Park, and says there is an abundance of food, and wholesome food, on hand in the Department of Subsistence. He says very few consignments have been rejected. It is only occasionally that a portion of a carload of such goods as canned tomatoes is rejected, or possibly a consignment of potatoes.

The Y. M. C. A. authorities here have ordered four more large brigade tents for use in the camp. Before the end of the week every man in the army will be supplied with a hymn book by these workers. A supply of 45,000 books has been received.

# ASTOR BATTERY COMING OUR WAY.

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ST. LOUIS, Mo., June 15.—The Vandalia road brought in the Astor battery from New York today, and after the men had been refreshed with a substantial breakfast at Union station the journey to San Francisco was continued.

Lieutenant P. C. March was in command of the battery, and with him were the three officers and ninety-nine men who arrived in a train consisting of three tourist sleepers, one coach and three baggage cars. Before starting West the train was enlarged by the addition of seven cars containing horses and mules, one flat car with two army wagons and one box car containing pack saddles, bridles and accoutrements.

# WOODMEN HOLD A DISTRICT CONVENTION.

## S. Wilbert of Haywards Selected as Chairman of the Session.

(Special to the Tribune.)

HAYWARDS, June 15.—The District Convention of the Woodmen of the World met this morning at 10:30 A. M. There were fifty-six delegates present and between 150 and 200 spectators. The entire morning was devoted to the organization of the convention. There were several close skirmishes for the posts of honor. F. Wilbert of Haywards secured the chairmanship and R. C. Vose of Old Orchard was elected secretary. A. R. Waters of Oakland was a strong candidate for the latter position, but lost it after a close and exciting vote. Wilbert's election was unanimous.

Committees were appointed with the following chairmen: C. L. Robinson, on resolutions; F. B. Ogden, on permanent organization and order of business, and T. T. Crittenden of San Luis Obispo, on credentials. The latter committee reported fifty-six delegates as entitled to seats. I. I. Boak was accorded the privileges of a delegate without voting power.

A contest is on over the selection of the next meeting place. Alameda and San Jose are the two aspirants for the honor.

The delegates to the Head Comp. which meets in San Francisco in August, will be chosen this afternoon and instructed regarding the proposed amendments and other matters of interest pertaining to Woodcraft.

There will be an entertainment, a banquet and dance in honor of the Woodmen at Native Sons' Hall tonight.

The Oakland delegates in attendance are as follows:

Oakland Camp, No. 94—T. M. Robinson, Hon. F. B. Ogden, E. T. Taylor, J. H. Greer, W. L. Boldt, J. L. Lyons, F. A. Green, J. J. McConnell, S. E. Evans, F. C. Colville, A. E. Bolton.

Forest Camp, No. 102—J. K. Jeffress, F. C. Partersky, —— Brown.

Alta Camp, No. 101—H. B. Smith, W. J. Baker, F. J. Fernhoff, A. E. Lake.

# CONGRESSIONAL MEN SEND THEIR REPLIES.

### Will Consider the Resolutions Forwarded by Board of Trade.

Senator Perkins, and Congressmen Hilborn, De Vries and Hepburn have replied to the resolutions sent them by the Board of Trade. All three promise to give the Hawaiian annexation bill careful consideration and Hilborn says he will introduce the Senate bill in the House. A letter from Speaker Reed announces that the bill will be considered this week.

## FRAZER FREED.

Bert Frazer, the young fellow charged with assaulting Pearl Duzenbery of Berkeley, was to-day dismissed by Justice Lawrence. The evidence against him was insufficient.

Deputy District Attorney Al Moore represented the State in this action.

### A Benefit Performance.

A clever specialty performance will be given at Chapman's Opera House the evening of June 16th by the Columbian Specialty Company for the benefit of W. L. Wilson. Three clever comedies, "Paddy's Adventures in a Mad House," "Dr. Jackel and Mr. Hide," and "A Holy Terror" will be presented and will be followed by an informal dance.

### Miller Estate

Final account and petition for distribution were today filed in the matter of the estate of the late August T. Miller. The total cash received was $6,024.10, and there is a balance on hand of $4,481.77.

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# HOUSE FAVORS ANNEXATION.

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WASHINGTON, June 15.—The minority Hawaiian resolution was rejected by a vote of 94 to 205. Roll call on adoption of majority resolutions proceeding.

This naturally indicates the adoption of the majority resolution, which declares for annexation.

The resolution has passed the house by a vote of 209 to 91.

WASHINGTON, June 15.—The House met today at 10 o'clock to resume the Hawaiian debate. Sixteen members were in attendance. The Senate bills granting American register to the ships Specialist and Unionist were passed.

Mr. Fitzgerald (D.) of Massachusetts spoke against the Newlands resolution. In the course of his speech he emphasized the failure of the majority of the Hawaiians to express their desire relative to annexation. He insisted that every people had the right to the government of their choice. Speaking further, Mr. Fitzgerald opposed annexation on the grounds that an injurious labor element would be brought into competition with American laborers.

Supporting the resolution, Mr Berry, (D.) of Kentucky devoted much of his time to showing that annexation was in line with Democratic policy. He reviewed the territorial additions to the original States to show that practically all had been made by Democrats. He quoted Jefferson, Pierce, Marcy, Buchanan, Bayard and other Democrats to support his contention that Democratic history warranted present Democratic support of annexation.

Mr. Berry digressed to speak of the Philippines situation, and, while not advocating the retention of the islands, he declared the United States should brook no interference on the part of Germany, and said if Germany should attempt to defeat any right belonging to America, then this country, with 158 ships in commission and 75,000,000 people, would be ready to respond to the demands for resenting any interference. Mr Berry's remarks in this connection were applauded vigorously. Proceeding, he advocated the construction of the Nicaraguan canal, and added the importance of its control as an additional argument for annexation. During his speech he referred to the Democratic caucus action, and declared his independence of any attempt to control his action upon the pending question.

This brought several protests from Democrats, denying that any such attempt had been made.

Another incident out of the ordinary occurred in the reply of Mr. Clark of Missouri, relative to the national immoral dance of Hawaii, and statesmen who had seen it. Mr. Berry said he had witnessed the dance while in Hawaii, and more immoral performances could be seen nightly in Washington theaters. Later, when Mr. Rhea (D.) was speaking of the immorality of the Hawaiians, Mr. Berry interrupted to assert vigorously, "There is more immorality in this city, south of Pennsylvania avenue, than in all Honolulu."

"Were I an American representative," responded Mr. Rhea, "and knew that to be true, I should blush to say it."

Mr. Rhea argued that the sin, idolatry and disease in Hawaii were arguments in opposition to the pending resolutions.

Mr. Spalding (R.) of Michigan advocated the resolutions, and Mr. Bell of Texas opposed them, arguing against their constitutionality.

Mr. Bradley (Dem.) of New York spoke for, and Messrs. Low (Rep.) of New York and Linney (R.) of New Hampshire against annexation.

William Alden Smith of Michigan, member of the Committee on Foreign Affairs, advocated annexation.

"Our action today will mark a new era in national affairs," he said. He reviewed the efforts for annexation, and continued: "Mr. Speaker, there is not a nation in the world that does not recognize the importance of the Hawaiian Islands to the United States. Are we blind to our interests when the disinterested vision of others is so clear? Will we longer neglect this plain duty, now so near consummation?"

Mr. Smith argued at considerable length the Executive's power to annex new territory.

"Annexation is not new to us," said he. "In my humble opinion the whole North American continent and every island in the Gulf and Carribean sea, and such islands in the Pacific as may be deemed desirable, are worthy of our ambition. Not that we are earth hungry, but as a measure of national protection and advantage it is the duty of the American people to lay peaceful conquest wherever opportunity may be offered.

"It has been argued that our constitutional provision against acquisition of territory is against this annexation, but it will be found that we have the right to acquire this territory if one will look for the precedents that have gone before."

As to an alliance with England, Mr. Smith said:

"South America and the Orient are the natural trade allies of the United States. Their relations to us must grow more important and desirable in the years to come. Then why talk of an Anglo-American alliance? Who is so short sighted as to wish us to assume any responsibility, however remote, for the faithful performance of the multitude of agreements, treaties and protocols of England? To be sure, they are our natural kin, and we are proud of our ancestry, but our friendship will be more enduring and our burdens easier to bear if we refrain from entangling alliances with any power across the sea."

# TRIPLE TRAGEDY AT TACOMA.

## James Bartlett's Awful Deed at a Hotel.

## Commits Double Murder and Then Kills Himself.

Associated Press Dispatches by
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TACOMA, Wash., June 15.—James Bartlett today shot and instantly killed Clarence Emery and Lillie Millet and then blew his own brains out. The triple tragedy occurred at the Donnelly Hotel at 10 o'clock.

Emery and Lillie Millet were eating breakfast in a private box of a restaurant, when Bartlett entered and commenced shooting. After mortally wounding both Emery and the woman, Bartlett slashed them with a knife.

The woman left Bartlett at Dyea, Alaska, to live with Emery, who was a barkeeper on the steamer City of Seattle. The couple came on the steamer to this city, followed by Bartlett, who said he would never permit the woman to live with any one but him.

The woman formerly lived at Seattle, and was about 25 years old. She has been married to a man named Chandler, who disappeared some years ago.

# PRATT GUARDIAN FINALLY DISCHARGED.

### Made a Fat Sum Out of His Services on the Estate.

Judge Ellsworth today handed down a decree ordering the final discharge of E. L. Campbell, guardian of the estate of Orville C. Pratt and Anna M. Pratt, minors. Campbell for four years has had charge of this estate consisting of 5,000 acres of farm land as well as local realty, for which services he secured $25,000 fees. He is now succeeded by Anna L. Lathrop, aunt of the children.

### Tuolumne People to Picnic.

The Tuolumne Association will hold a basket picnic at Golden Gate Park next Friday. They are are all requested to congregate at the music stand.

# LEITER OUT OF THE WHEAT BUSINESS.

## His Entire Holdings Taken By Phil Armour.

Associated Press Dispatches by
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CHICAGO, June 15.—Arrangements for the closing of the Leiter wheat deal have been completed. Final papers were placed before Joseph Leiter today, and 700,000,000 bushels of choice cash wheat were consigned to P. D. Armour, who will henceforth control all the Leiter holdings.

Rumor has already begun to dispose of his holdings, and unless the coming crop is harvested sooner than anticipated it seems likely that the wheat in the Northwest will be consumed there.

It is stated that Leiter will not lose as much as was generally believed. Armour's assumption of the burden is said to have been incurred if the immense line of wheat had to be merchandised by trustees, with the probability of a declining market.

The loans made to Leiter by the local banks aggregate nearly $7,000,000. Each bank was careful to protect itself with wide margins that would insure against loss. Interviews with a number of the bankers interested, show that they are all satisfied with the transfer of the deal to Anmour.

# DEFICIENCY BILL REPORTED.

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WASHINGTON, June 15.—The general deficiency bill, carrying an aggregate of $224,342,233 was reported to the House today by the Committee on Appropriations. All but $18,205,026 is for war expenses, and $8,070,827 of the ordinary deficiencies is for pensions.

### Tunnel Day Claims

William Moller, who is treasurer of the tunnel day committee, has announced that all claims will be paid as soon as presented. President Williams of the Jockey Club has sent a check for the gate receipts of the benefit.

### Mortuary.

The three weeks old child of Rev. and Mrs. Swain of Berkeley died at their home this morning.

Philomene, the 15 year old daughter of Frank and Maude Mitterwald, a native of Austria, died at the family residence in Golden Gate this morning and will be buried at Mountain View June 17th.

# CAPTURE TWO SPANISH SLOOPS.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

OFF SANTIAGO DE CUBA, Saturday June 11—4 P. M., via Kingston, Jamaica, June 12.—7 P. M.—Since the establishment of the blockade several interesting and daring expeditions have been made into the enemy's country to discover the actual condition of affairs in Santiago. It is no small matter to get near the city. About 8,000 Spanish soldiers and 2,000 home guard troops cover every roadway about the place, and General Pando, the Spanish military commander, is very active, although his operations are limited by the mountains surrounding the place, which are full of insurgents.

On Sunday, June 4th, the converted lighthouse boat Suane, commanded by Lieutenant Delehanty, arrived off Santiago. She had on board about 7,000 rounds of ammunition, 500 rifles, 1,000 carbines, 2,000 machetes and hundreds of pounds of bread, bacon and other provisions. With the aid of a Cuban pilot picked up by Commodore Schley, she landed this stuff in two days, besides taking an active part in the bombardment of the forts at Santiago. The landing was effected about twelve miles to the westward of Santiago and in the presence of 500 insurgents. About 100 insurgents were on guard in the mountains and passes. The ammunition and food with the arms have therefore put the insurgents in excellent shape to prevent the Spanish from getting provisions from the outside through the island itself. It is believed that the arming of a force of the insurgents has assisted in cutting off one part of the Spanish army from another.

Tuesday, June 7th, while working near Cesserazero, twelve miles from Santiago, Lieutenant-Commander Delehanty saw two sloops trying to run away up the river Assarazaro. He fired at them, and they ran ashore and deserted. Each of th sloops was provided with a Spanish flag, and one of these had on board a heliograph for signaling purposes. The flag and the heliograph were taken as spoils of war. One of the sloops was presented to the Cubans, and the other, which already had a few holes in it, was sunk by shots from the Suane.

# ONE HUNDRED DEAD SPANIARDS

Associated Press Dispatches by
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NEW YORK, June 15.—The following dispatch is a Journal special from Camp McCalla, Guantanamo harbor, June 15:

"The scouting parties of marines which were sent out yesterday returned here at 10 o'clock last night with eighteen Spanish prisoners, one of them an officer. The party also captured a hundred Mauser rifles and 10,000 rounds of ammunition. They report having had a series of engagements with the Spaniards and that 100 Spanish soldiers were killed and 200 wounded.

"Also that they destroyed a Spanish blockhouse and the telegraph station through which the Spaniards had been keeping Guantanamo and Santiago informed of the movements of the American troops."

# DOWLING APPEARS BEFORE THE COURT.

## Arraigned on the Charge of Perjury Against Him.

## The Grand Jury's Work is Quickly Followed up by the Court.

Constable R. H. Dowling was arraigned before Judge Ellsworth to-day as a result of the indictment which was directed against him yesterday by the Grand Jury. The sixty-day limit was waived and one week allowed in which to plead.

The charge preferred against Dowling was perjury. And the crime consists in alleged false swearing during the course of the trial of James Ramsey before Justice Clift. Dowling stated at that hearing that he found Ramsey in a box car without the corporate limits of the city. The indictment maintains that Ramsey was not found without the city limits or at all in any box car, and concluding charges Dowling with falsely swearing and feloniously committing willful perjury.

At 5 o'clock yesterday the defendant was placed in the Sheriff's custody and bailed out in the sum of $2,000 by J. L. McCarthy and Frederick C. Clift.

The witnesses in the case upon whose evidence the indictment is based are: Edward Carr, J. G. Ramsey, W. J. Moffett, A. P. Gordon, W. M. Kreiss, C. F. Horton, Fred C. Clift and R. H. Dowling.

# PROSECUTING WITNESS TESTIFIES FOR RODGERS

The trial of Stacey Rodgers for the murder of Edward Halsey at Lorin last March is on in full blast before Judge Ellsworth to-day.

Arthur Willmott said that he met the defendant just before the latter fired the fatal ball. He was on his way to see Mrs. Harrison, and had the pistol in his possession. He averred that Rodgers told him that he was carrying the weapon to protect himself against Halsey, who had threatened him. He said Rodgers did not mention any intention of killing any one, but seemed cool as usual.

George C. Davis, Jr., and Leonard C. Davis were also called to the stand by the prosecution.

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—TO—
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# MERCHANTS WANT A BIG CELEBRATION.

## The Fourth Will be Fittingly Observed In This City.

### Members of the Exchange are Very Enthusiastic Over the Plans.

Oakland will have a celebration on the Fourth of July that will make the small boy scream with delight and will arouse the enthusiasm of the older residents. Plans for the day were adopted with a rush at the meeting of the Merchants' Exchange last evening, and the members gave an outline of what would be done on the day devoted to patriotism and firecrackers. There will be a parade in the morning, a sham battle in the afternoon and magnificent fireworks on the lake in the evening.

The Board of Trade sent a committee consisting of J. F. Towle, F. K. Mott and W. H. Friend to invite the Exchange to join the other organizations in planning for the Fourth.

The members of the Exchange present last evening were D. C. Brown, Webb N. Pearce, F. M. Farwell, H. C. Coward, J. L. Champlin, J. F. W. Sohst, J. S. Wixson, J. F. Towle, F. Sinclair, A. H. Schlueter, Will Standeford and Theodore Gier.

Chairman Gier of the tunnel day committee reported that President Williams of the California Jockey Club had sent a check of $2,755 as the proceeds from the race track benefit.

Mr. Sohst said that the expenses had not been fully ascertained as yet, but would be shortly. Mr. Moller, the treasurer of the tunnel day committee, advocated placing the money in a savings bank, so, if not used in six months, it would draw interest. His plan met with general favor among the members of the Merchants' Exchange.

Mr. Towle, who was chairman of the committee from the Board of Trade appointed for the purpose of securing the Exchange's co-operation in securing a proper celebration for the Fourth of July, made a formal request for this co-operation.

Mr. Mott, another member of the committee, made a short speech in which he touched upon the appropriateness of having a big celebration on the Fourth and the fact that the Board of Trade had appointed a committee of three to boom the matter, and he thought it would be well if the Exchange would do likewise.

Mr. Champlin moved that the committee be appointed, and his motion prevailed.

President Wixson appointed Messrs. Sinclair, Wixson and Farwell as a committee.

Mr. Sohst was the one to throw the needed patriotic ardor into the proceedings. He decried the tendency of allowing the Fourth to pass unnoticed.

"It is our duty to celebrate the Fourth," said he. "It is our duty to our children and our city to do this. It is un-American to go to country seats to avoid the Fourth. It is disloyal to our city to allow San Francisco to monopolize the festivities of the day. We are able to have a celebration of our own, and should have one every year, war or not. We must celebrate. It is clearly our duty, and we should not be deterred by San Francisco threats to have a big celebration, but go right along with our own plans."

Mr. Friend supported Mr. Sohst's remarks. He believed that only 10,000 people would attend the San Francisco celebration from this side of the bay, and there would still be 50,000 or 90,000 on this side to be aroused. He advocated a small but good celebration, and explained that he meant by that a small parade, but a good one.

Mr. Gier assured Mr. Friend that he (Friend) would be called upon. The former Postmaster (Mr. White) had been one of the energetic workers in the last big celebration, and Gier thought Mr. Friend would be a worthy successor, and advised that he be appointed on the finance committee.

Mr. Sohst complimented Mr. Friend on his record as an enthusiastic Oaklander.

"We should have this celebration for the little boys and girls," said he. "I think the little ones should be given a chance to show their patriotism and not be allowed to merely fire their firecrackers."

Mr. Schlueter and Mr. Standeford also expressed themselves as being in favor of a big celebration.

Mr. Towle thought that an Oakland celebration would inculcate a spirit of unity in this city. People would stay at home for their pleasure as well as for other reasons.

Mr. Brown stated that he believed credit was due to the Merchants' Exchange and Board of Trade for the promotion of Oakland's interest, and said there was no doubt that home trade had increased of late.

Mr. Gier spoke very enthusiastically of the project of having a sham battle and a parade by the soldiers, and urged the committees to work hard for the success of the celebration.

Mr. Sohst wanted to send telegrams to Senator Perkins and Congressman Hilborn asking that regiments be sent over here to celebrate the Fourth.

Mr. Pearce said the Board of Trade had already telegraphed to Washington in regard to the matter.

It was finally decided to leave this question in the hands of the committee.

Mr. Brown desired to have the merchants close their stores on the Fourth.

"We were all disappointed in the receipts of tunnel day," said he. "That, too, was in a certain sense a patriotic day, and yet there were a number of merchants who did not close their stores. Now, I think all save candy and firecracker establishments should be closed on the Fourth."

Mr. Sinclair observed that it was impossible to compel merchants to close, and advocated allowing the matter to remain in abeyance.

On Mr. Schlueter's motion, the secretary was ordered to draw up a set of resolutions favoring the celebration.

The meeting then adjourned.

# PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Edward M. Walsh and family of Linda Vista have gone to Hotel Rowardennan, Ben Lamond, for a month.

Mrs. Wallace Everson and daughters have gone to Upper Soda Springs for a month.

Mrs. Florence Crooks, accompanied by her son Jackson, will spend the summer at Santa Cruz.

Miss Dora Patterson and Vena McKean will spend their vacation in Glen county.

Miss Grace Carroll of this city is a guest at the Pacific Ocean House, Santa Cruz.

R. R. Lloyd is spending a few days at Santa Cruz.

Mrs. Emma Munson and Miss Gertrude Surryhine are at Woodland in attendance on the Grand Parlor N. D. G. W. The two ladies are delegates from Piedmont Parlor No. 87 of this city.

Miss Emily Riggs is visiting in Berkeley.

John B. McNabb is spending some time in Riverside.

Victor Henderson has gone to Los Angeles.

Professor Isaac Flagg of the State University has returned from Vacaville.

Miss Minnie Kellogg, who is spending some time in Berkeley, will go north before returning to her home at Santa Barbara.

Miss Lena Nelson of Oakland will spend the summer months at Lake Tahoe.

Mrs. E. P. Dennett and daughter of Santa Rosa are guests of Alameda friends.

Mrs. Van Sicklen and children of Alameda are guests at Congress Springs.

Mrs. Philip Teller and family will spend the summer at Wrights.

Herbert D. Clark has gone to Los Angeles on a ten days' vacation trip.

Miss Evelyn Cowing and Joseph Cowing of Alameda will spend a month at Upper Soda Springs.

A. H. Rose has gone to Arbuckle.

Miss Margaret Poore of Redding will spend the summer with relatives in this city.

Mrs. E. H. Baker and Miss Myra Baker of Berkeley have returned from Pacific Grove.

Ernest A. Owen of Berkeley has gone to Nevada City.

Mrs. Jean Bosworth of Danville is the guest of Mrs. F. L. Naylor of Berkeley.

The Rev. Henry E. Jewett has gone to Vacaville.

Miss Maggie Stevenson of this city is spending a week in Berkeley as the guest of Miss Marie Douglas.

Mrs. Rebecca Naylor has gone to Whittier to attend the annual convention of the Friends church.

Elmer E. Nichols, U. C. '98, left for the south yesterday morning.

C. L. Lathrop is registered at the Hotel St. George, Santa Cruz.

Roland Neilson has returned from Los Angeles, where he has been for a year.

W. F. Shattuck and family of Alameda have gone to Santa Catalina Island for the summer.

Miss Alice Nathan left yesterday for Lake county to visit friends.

Mrs. A. C. McCurdy and Mrs. F. C. Sprague will spend a couple of months at Los Gatos.

Mrs. Clawiter is visiting her son, E. H. Clawiter at Mt. Eden.

Herbert Scribner and family will spend the summer at Decoto.

Joseph B. Lawless and family and Oscar T. Westphal and family will spend the summer in camp at Niles canyon.

The engineering class of the State University at Berkeley, which has been doing surveying for the past month in Knight's Valley under Prof. Hunt, passed through Napa on ther return to the bay city Saturday afternoon.

The American Ladies' Aid Society No. 1, organized recently to care for the members of soldiers' families, will give an entertainment and dance this evening in the armory to raise funds with which to provide the necessaries for their work.

D. F. Verdenal, writing from New York, says: "Ivy Wandesforde," Kersey's "Battle Hymn in Memory of the Maine" has been received here with considerable favor, and several of the theatrical maestros have incorporated it in their evening's programme." Mrs. Kersey is now a resident of Haywards, in this county.

The following Oaklanders are registered at the St. James, San Jose: T. C. Coogan, Mrs. Stafford, C. H. Park and T. G. Coltress. Mrs. B. L. Betts of Pleasanton is also a guest at this hotel.

Police Officer Brown and family of Alameda will spend the summer at Moraga Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. George Murdock and family of 1809 San Antonio avenue, Alameda, and Miss Leonore Center will leave tomorrow for Sweet Briar camp, Shasta county, where they will camp out for six weeks.

W. M. Rank, who departed last Saturday on the steamer St. Paul for St. Michaels, on his way to Dawson City, was "seen off" by a coterie of friends, who wished all sorts of luck and success. He will probably return in October.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas P. Winter of 2268 Central avenue, Alameda, have returned from a trip to England. They report having had a very enjoyable visit to their friends in the old country. They state that the sympathy of England is decidedly with America in the war with Spain.

J. S. Nalsmith and family are camping at Watson's ranch back of East Oakland.

### New Comet Located.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, June 15.—Prof. Brooks, director of the Smith Observatory, secured observations last night of the new comet recently discovered by photography at the Lick Observatory. The comet is in Scorpion, near the bright red star Antares. The position last night was right ascension 16 hours 14 minutes 40 seconds, declination south 27 degrees, 7 minutes, motion slow southwest. The comet can be seen with a moderate sized telescope.

### Bound for St. Michaels.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

PORTLAND, Or., June 15.—The steamer Excelsior sailed tonight for Seattle, from which port she will go to St. Michaels, Alaska.

The schooner General McPherson sailed for St. Michaels today.

### A Widow's Pension.

Mrs. Eliza F. McMullin has been granted a Mexican veteran's widow's pension of $8 per month.

# STANDING OF THE MEDICAL COLLEGE.

## May be placed Under Direct Control of University Regents.

### Professor Soule Appointed Military Instructor of the College Cadets.

The Regents of the University are still undecided as to the extent of the direct jurisdiction they should exercise over the Medical School. They struggled with the question yesterday and reached no conclusion, and will take the matter up at the next meeting.

The proposition to take direct control of the affairs of the medical school was vigorously supported by Regent Reinstein. Regent Miller led the opposition on the grounds of financial expediency. The plan suggested is briefly that this medical school, now governed by its own faculty, which selects professors, collects fees and disburses funds, shall take its place as a department of the University along with the chemical, civil engineering and other departments, and that the faculty, which is willing to do so, surrender its extraordinary functions to the Board of Regents. This medical school is not an affiliated concern, but is really a department of the University, enjoying unusual privileges.

Regent Reinstein urged the necessity of bringing the medical school into closer touch with the University, thereby giving it a higher prestige and larger sphere of usefulness. The opposition replied that such a change might bring responsibilities that would prove expensive to the University. The discussion was spirited and general and the Regents, finding it difficult to agree, were glad to let the matter go over to a more largely attended meeting.

Director Keeler addressed the Board briefly in regard to the Lick Observatory, which he declared was second in results only to the Harvard Observatory. He referred to the recent discovery of a seventh comet and said that scientists are praising the work done on Mount Hamilton, while the public is hardly awake to its importance.

In view of the departure of Lieutenant Cloman to join his regiment, Professor Soule was authorized to take charge of military instruction.

# SIX MONTHS FOR BREAKING A NOSE.

Judge Allen this morning sentenced Harry Lynch to serve six months in the City Prison for having broken the nose of A. C. Bar.

Bar, who is a perfect stranger to Lynch, was taking a drink in a saloon at the corner of Fifth and Market streets, when Lynch came in and addressed some remarks to Bar, to which the latter paid no attention. This angered Lynch, and he began to use abusive language to Bar. As the later turned around he received a stunning blow in the face which resulted in a broken nose.

After the adjournment of court, some one asked the Judge if he did not think six months a severe sentence for a battery charge, but the Judge smilingly replied: "I can't see that six months in jail is any worse than a broken nose."

# IN THE COURTS TODAY

Suit in foreclosure was yesterday filed by Andrew Dalziel against P. R. Borein. The involved property is situated at Eleventh and Alice streets and is valued at $2,600.

Defendant in the suit of Andy L. Stone against Christine Magnusser has filed a demurrer.

Demurrer has been filed in the case of J. M. McNamara against N. Wheeler.

Elizabeth Murphy, mother of Mary Alice Murphy, a minor, today petitioned for letters of guardianship.

Default has been entered against defendants R. H. Magill, Jr., Sophie M. Magill, F. Marcuse, J. A. Remmel, A. C. Webb and Theresa Webb in the suit brought against them by the Alameda Savings Bank.

Mary A. Townsend failed to answer in the suit commenced against her by the Oakland Paving Company and default has been entered.

The suit of Mamie C. Bacon against Frank P. Bacon has been dismissed at the defendant's cost, the cause of the complaint being fully satisfied.

All the briefs in the suit of Ann Harris against her brother, Judge Josiah P. Ames, have been passed to Judge Ogden. The defendant's brief of 123 pages of closely typewritten foolscap was handed in last night.

Judge Ellsworth to-day issued letters of administration to W. H. Knight on the estate of the late Mercy M. Gray.

Complaint in foreclosure has been filed by Emil Pfankuchen against J. J. Paiva. The base of the action is a $500 note secured by property on East Twenty-fourth street.

William Heafey has filed two street assessments against John Wesley Cook.

Tillie Lyons, administratrix of the estate of William J. Lyons, deceased, petitioned for an order to sell personal property. The order was granted.

Judge Ellsworth to-day approved the account of Henry Smyth, guardian of Charles E. Jacox and John W. Moore, minors, for the past year. The total estate is worth $32,571.06, and the total on hand is $3,257.06.

# SUIT TO RECOVER AN OLD JUDGEMENT.

James C. Sperry today filed a complaint against Robert Gardiner to sustain the life of a judgment rendered by Justice Clift in 1893 for $332.10. The plaintiff avers that, although nearly five years ago the court awarded him judgment in the sum mentioned, no part of it has yet been paid.

On the 24th of November next this will be outlawed if allowed to hang fire.

### Berkeley News.

BERKELEY, June 15.—The Town Trustees have decided to reduce saloon licenses from $50 to $25. The saloon men have made a long fight for a lower license and organized a protective association. Many flatly refused to pay the high license. The License Committee recommended the cut owing to the increase in the price of beer. J. W. Richards, president of the Board, and J. L. Le Conte were the only Trustees to oppose the committee's report.

The West Berkeley breweries have been doing a rushing business filling extra orders in anticipation of the inspection by the United States Revenue Officers and the issuing of stamps at the new rate. This was accomplished yesterday. The price of beer has advanced from $6 to $7 a barrel.

The Peralta Camp, No. 122, Woodmen of the World, the only society in existence that makes a point of rearing a monument to every one of its deceased members, will on July 10th in Mountain View Cemetery unveil a monument to G. R. Noack.

There will be another issue of the University Chronicle about July 1st. Professor William D. Armes, who is the editor, announces that it will contain an article on "Spain's Economic Policy," by Professor Bernard Moses; President Martin Kellogg's graduation statement, the commencement address by Professor Edmund James of Chicago and a scientific article by Professor Frederick Slate.

# AFTER IMPURE FOOD.

## Drs. Dunn and Pierce Destroy a Lot of Over-ripe Strawberries.

This morning Drs. Pierce and Dunn, who have been on the lookout for overripe strawberries, captured a load consisting of some eighty drawers, all of which were found to be unfit for use and they were consequently consigned to the rubbish heap in the corporation yard, where the owner, H. B. Herschander, of 713 Broadway, was compelled to look on while his boxes were smashed and the fruit thrown away.

The Health Department is making vigorous attempts to put a stop to the peddling of unwholesome food.

# POLICE PICKINGS.

The case of Robert Reed, arrested for petit larceny, was continued in the Police Court this morning to June 15th to be set for trial.

Harry Gallagher, found guilty of disturbing the peace, will be sentenced to-morrow.

Yap Yam, charged with selling lottery tickets, will be tried by a jury on July 19th.

Charles Green was sentenced to pay a fine of one dollar or spend one day in jail for disturbing the peace.

W. P. Litteral, charged with battery, will be tried by a jury on July 8th.

John Boeman and Geo. Prescott, charged with violating the license ordinance, will be tried to-morrow.

The two charges of misdemeanor against A. Bercovich, who has been held to answer before the Superior Court to the charge of having knowingly received stolen goods, went over till to-morrow to be set.


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# TEACHERS' EXCURSION.

Teachers' excursion to the meeting of the National Educational Association in Washington, D. C., at greatly reduced rates, will leave San Francisco at 8 A. M., Thursday, June 30th, under the personal management of Principal Albert Lyser of the John Swett Grammar school, San Francisco. Inquiries may be addressed to him and also to ex-Superintendent Madison Babcock, San Francisco.

For sleeping car reservations, etc., apply to D. W. HITCHCOCK, General Agent Union Pacific, No. 1 Montgomery street, San Francisco, or H. V. BLASDEL, 1010 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.


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FOR SALE—Complete camping wagon outfit; will accommodate six persons; contains tents, poles, awning, reclining chairs, stools, dining table, blue flame oil stove, cooking box, refrigerator and all modern conveniences; almost new; two ordinary horses will take it anywhere. To see wagon and get further particulars apply at Friedricks & Arth's carriage factory, Tenth and Webster.

FOR RENT—Good camping wagon. Address 1124 Myrtle st.

FOR SALE—TEN R.I.P.A.N.S. for 5 cents at druggists; one gives relief.

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THEATRICAL WIGS—Artistic wig making to order. Mrs. L. C. Marvin, 1159 Washington st.

TO LOAN—$2,000—On approved real estate.

FOR SALE—40 acres—25 acres of paper shell walnuts in bearing; 3 acres in alfalfa; artesian water; house, outhouses, orchard; all kinds of fruit; one-half cash, balance on mortgage.

FOR SALE—38⅔ acres—25 acre vineyard, choice wine grapes; house, barn, good water, home orchard; 10 acres grain land; terms easy.

FOR SALE—25 acres—10 acres prunes, 10 acres almonds; house, barn, artesian well, 10,000 gallon tank, home orchard; all kinds of choice fruit, all in bearing; easy terms.

FOR SALE—25 acres—Choice vineyard, full bearing; terms reasonable.

Apply to A. W. BISHOP, 458 Eighth st., Oakland.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished rooms; clean, homelike and quiet; rents moderate; also housekeeping; furnished or unfurnished. Oriental Hotel, 864 Washington st., Oakland.

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GRAND ARMY HALL to let. Apply to C. Jurgens, 1116 Broadway.

HOUSES FOR SALE.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—A nearly new, nine room modern cottage; high basement; stationary washtubs; with lot 50x150 feet; sunny exposure; not far distant from local train and within one block of electric car line; price $4,000; a mortgage may be assumed; would take for the equity in the property unincumbered lots near Dwight way station, Berkeley. Albert Schmidt, 1122 Thirteenth ave., East Oakland.

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STOREY'S Ladies' Tailoring College, No. 1209 Broadway and No. 12 Telegraph ave., Oakland, Cal., where lessons in cutting and making ladies' tailor garments are taught by competent teachers; lessons and time unlimited; let every one call and see this work; seamstress and apprentices wanted. Prof. and Mme. Ferguson.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN—I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Marie R. Bridge, after this day, she having left my bed and board without just cause.

JOHN BRIDGE.

Oakland, June 10, 1898.

THE YOKOHAMA TAILOR—509 Eighth st., near Washington; suits made to order; good fit guaranteed; dyeing, cleaning and repairing promptly done at lowest price.

FURNITURE WANTED—We will give you more cash for your furniture and household goods than you can get anywhere. J. A. Munro & Co., 1517-19 Park st., Alameda, general auctioneers. Tel. red 423.

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## Weather Forecast.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 15.—Weather forecast: Generally fair except partly cloudy near the coast tonight and Thursday; fresh west wind.

WEDNESDAY.....JUNE 15, 1898.

Judging by the reports of the terrific heat that is now endured on the Cuban coast, Admiral Cervera would doubtless like to have that bottle he is in put on ice. He must be heartily sick of his job by this time.

The announcement by Admiral Sampson that the Spaniards barbarously mutilated the bodies of our dead marines shows the class of people we are fighting with. Weyler was certainly well named the "butcher," for he had a lot of cattle under his control when he was commanding the Spanish army.

The anniversary of the battle of Bunker Hill, which is to be celebrated next Friday with picnics and exercises, is evidently to be used as another opportunity for giving vent to the prevailing patriotic enthusiasm. It is but a preliminary, though, to the Fourth of July jubilee, which, judging by the preparations being made all over the State, is to be a record-breaker.

It looks now as if the fact that Armour had more millions than Leiter was one of the principal causes of the young plunger's downfall. Armour is not the man to play the part of Samaritan by turning both sides of his cheek to the smiter and having got a knock-down financial blow early in the fight he laid plans for revenge later on. The fact that he is buying up all of Leiter's cash wheat shows that he was only manoeuvering for the opening he has now got.

No wonder the young and ambitious soldiers hail the war with delight. In times of peace they would never get a chance to be heard of, whereas now national characters are being made almost every week. Dewey's reputation was, of course, well established before the war broke out, but Hobson, Howell and now Lieutenant Blue, were scarcely known outside of their own immediate acquaintances. When our army gets to work in Cuba personal history will be made fast.

The Government has acted wisely in having all the transport ships subjected to a thorough examination and overhauling by an expert. Although nearly all of the steamers engaged for troopships are known to be first-class boats, still there have been unsavory rumors about regarding one or two of them, and it is as well to be on the safe side. We can't run on our maritime reputation out here, in view of the Helen Almy and the other coffin ships sent out from this port during the early days of the Klondike rush.

Santa Rosa has been making wonderful strides of late, her successes with her fair and carnival being now followed by preparations for a charter election. That part of the State is bound to go ahead anyhow, for it is one of our biggest wine-producing sections and the demands on our vineyardists are steadily on the increase. We have long since outgrown the narrow limits of local and home markets, for large quantities of California wines are now shipped abroad despite the competition of the long-established vineyards of Europe.

There will certainly be no objections to the increased expenses assumed by the Board of University Regents in connection with lecturers for the farmers' institutes. One of the most practical branches of the institution is that engaged in investigations regarding soils and crops, for the ranchers are thereby enabled to get the benefits of experiment and research and to have conditions compared in such a way that they can see what is most advantageous for them. Tax-payers will therefore be willing to admit that the money expended in such a cause is well spent.

The Philippine islands ought to have no trouble in paying their own running expenses, judging by the items of the war tariff to be put in effect there by General Merritt. The tax of 7 cents a pound on bacon, for instance, ought to bring in a good revenue, if they like pork and beans over there. An impost of $1.50 on every hat and bonnet trimmed with milliner's work, too, will make the matinee girls over there squirm if they try to get the "latest thing from Paris." The great trouble with the islands is that owing to the many opportunities for smuggling, it will be next to impossible to enforce a tax schedule.

### THE FOURTH OF JULY.

There should be little occasion to do any urging, as regards the Fourth of July celebration here, for the conditions accompanying the day this year make it certain that no one will want to hold back on the proposition of making it a bang-up event. Oakland has a reputation at stake too in this matter, for all through the West the preparations are on scales of magnitude far surpassing former occasions, and we naturally must keep our end up. No stone should therefore be left unturned by those attending to the preliminary arrangements and it is the duty of every citizen of Oakland to aid in every way possible.

There are many reasons this year for giving an added zest to the Fourth of July exercises. In addition to the traditional observances there are the deeds of to-day to be commemorated for although we were all elated at the news of Dewey's victory, at the same time no public rejoicing followed. This therefore can now be incorporated in the Fourth of July observances as can also the brilliant patriotism of Hobson and the heroes of the Merrimac. Possibly, too, before the Fourth gets around we will be rejoicing over victories in Cuba and in addition to all this there is the knowledge that our flag is now in the field against a hostile nation and that our brave soldiers and sailors are defending the country's honor.

Let us, therefore, make the occasion one of a public outpouring of enthusiasm. The Fourth of July is after all the only day in the year that is devoted exclusively to National commemoration and surely with so much out of the ordinary to celebrate we can make it a gala day that will be long remembered. Everyone in Oakland should lend a hand towards making the event a success and if that kind of spirit will only prevail, there is no question as to the results.

### A CLOSE CALL.

For some time past it has been conceded that the reprieve that has come to Worden would be obtained, for reports that drifted about as to the opinions of the medical experts detailed to investigate his sanity all were to the effect that outside evidence showed he was not thoroughly responsible. The Governor had declined to interfere as far as the merits of the case were concerned, for his examination of the testimony showed him that there was little or no doubt that Worden had been one of the brain-wrecking gang, if indeed not their leader.

Hope was held out, though, on the score that if it could be proved, as alleged, that Worden was non compos, a commutation to imprisonment for life would follow and in order to give the prisoner the benefit of every doubt a doctor was detailed to go to Worden's old home in the East and there make all possible researches. Worden can therefore consider himself in luck that his life has been spared through these means, for under ordinary circumstances he was booked for the gallows without question.

The enormous influence exerted in his behalf by the labor unions naturally had some effect, for it was impossible to ignore the appeals that came pouring in from all over the country, one of the requests for clemency coming from Grover Cleveland. Apart, perhaps, from the Durrant case, the Governor never had so many powerful applicants working on behalf of any one as were lined up for Worden, so it is in reality a graceful way out of the matter for the Governor to be able to reprieve him on the strength of the medical report. Worden can consider himself in big luck, anyhow, for had the report been against him there was nothing could have saved him from the gallows-tree that the evidence in his case showed he well merited.

The surety company is to pay up the $100,000 bond given as regards Widber's trust, and as it agreed not to continue the case the depleted San Francisco treasury will have its riches nearly all back again in a few days. Judge Belcher, who decided the matter in favor of the city, made an important ruling when he held that "a provision of law for the counting of public money at stated intervals is for the protection of the public and not for the protection of the bondsmen of the officer." This means that surety companies must in future take some steps to protect themselves in such matters as the official count, under the ruling, means nothing to them.

Despite all the efforts made by American horsemen they do not seem to be able to hold their own with the English racing men of late. A few years ago our horses carried off a number of the rich prizes over there, but nowadays they don't seem to be in it despite the hundreds of thousands spent by Croker, Lorillard and other wealthy turfites. The reason for this may be that horse racing is "a sport for kings" and therefore not suited to our American institutions.

The Democratic Congressmen scarcely seem to know how to line upon the annexation question. If they are for it they will be making Republican politics, for the measure is now distinctively an administration one, whereas if they fight it they fear they will be antagonizing the wishes of their Democratic constituents. It is hard therefore to "play ball" under such conditions.

## WHAT IT COSTS TO WAGE WAR.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, June 15.—The Secretary of War has sent to Congress estimates for appropriations for the army up to January 1st next, amounting to $13,200,000, as follows:

Regular supplies, quartermaster's department, $3,000,000; army transportation, $10,000,000; contingencies of the army, $100,000; secret service, $100,000.

The amount so far asked for on account of the war is approximately $391,000,000.

## HOW THIS CITY FEELS THE WAR.

### Reaches the Palate and Purse of Every Person.

### Chewing Gum Gets off Easily but Beer Pays the Piper.

The arrival of soldiers at the mole is not the only proof Oakland has that this Nation is at war. The remark has often been made that there is nothing to indicate war except in a few spots where troops are departing for Cuba or Manila. This idea is now dispelled and Oakland in common with every other city and town in the Union has reason to know that there is something engaging the attention of the country that needs a vastly-increased revenue.

In other words, the war has now reached the stomachs and the palates and the purses of all, for the special war revenue bill is in force. This tax reaches the theater, the billiard table, the tea parties, the cigar smokers, the weekly insurance systems, bankers, patent medicines, and scores of other interests that deeply affect society. The tax will be felt most heavily by those requiring luxuries, but it also reaches some domestic necessities, including flour and beer.

Beer, ale and porter must pay 6½ cents a gallon tax and yet the bartenders declare that there is no difference in quantity and quality. If this be true, the saloon-keepers will have to devise a very ingenious argument to prevent a large increase in the size of schooners when the war tax is removed.

A pawn-broker has to pay $20 and the proprietors of the two Oakland theaters must put up $100 apiece to help fight Spain. A circus has to pay $100 in every State where it feeds its elephants. "Fat Lady" shows and freak museums must pay $10 apiece.

If Rev. Edwards Davis gives another show "for money" at Metropolitan Temple or Hamilton Hall, he must put up $10, although he only took in $4.80 last Sunday.

Bowling alley and billiard room proprietors must pay $5 for each table or alley.

The tax on cigars and cigarettes is doubled, and dealers must pay a lump sum, according to the amount they sell annually. Even the man, woman or child that pays 10 cents a week on a life insurance policy has reason to feel the effect of war, for they must pay 4 cents apiece to pay the soldiers.

Citizens cannot avoid this tax by going to Europe or China, for if their ticket costs over $30 they must put $3 into Uncle Sam's Treasury.

Neither do the trusts and corporations fare any better than the individual. If any one in Oakland talks 15 cents' worth over a telephone in San Francisco, the company has to give 1 cent to the Government. For every telegram sent, 1 cent is claimed by Uncle Sam. Petroleum and sugar refiners are so fixed that they will turn many thousands of dollars into the anti-Spanish fund. All these returns are to be made monthly.

As only 4 cents a barrel is levied on mixed flour, there will be no excuse for the dealer to announce it two bits, but as tea is taxed 10 cents a pound, those who delight in sipping it must expect to increase their grocer's bill.

Here is a hard nut for some of the wildcat gold mining companies to crack:

"Bonds, debentures or certificates of indebtedness by any association, company or corporation, on each $100 of face value or fraction thereof 5 cents, and on each original issue, whether on organization or reorganization or certificates of stock by any such association, company or corporation, on each $100 of face value or fraction thereof 5 cents. Penalty—A fine of from $500 to $1,000 and imprisonment for six months, or both."

It is but reasonable to presume that a delegation of the pretty gum chewers from Oakland had visited Congress and pleaded that the tax be increased on beer and wine, which they do not use, and not raised on chewing gum. At any rate, the tax on gum is only 1 cent on 25 cents' worth, so the war will not bring any forced relief to tired jaws.

Here is a funny clause, and as no explanation goes with it, it must be explained for what it is worth: "Proxy for voting at any election for officers of any incorporated company, except religious, charitable or literary societies or public cemeteries, 10 cents."

The section of the revenue law relating to bonds should make every citizen feel proud and willing to put up his money, for there is surely something inspiriting in the phrase "The Secretary of the Treasury is authorized to borrow on the credit of the United States." Everybody can trust "Uncle Sam."

The Oakland grocers are as yet very conservative; the saloon men and dealers in Havanas and Manilas are more so. They do not as yet admit that the untaxed stock is disposed of, but an increase of price must follow.

After all, is it not a little peculiar that, with Dewey blockading Manila and Sampson doing the same at Havana, and with a war tax on cigars, that the Broadway cigar dealer passes out his "genuine" Havanas and Manilas at two for a quarter when you perform the miracle of "beating the machine"?

BEER IS RAISED.

In order to meet the demands of the Government, the Oakland Brewers' Association has again raised the price of beer. A short time ago an additional $1 a barrel was imposed upon saloon men, and to-day 100 cents more a barrel has been levied.

As the increased taxation is $2 a barrel of thirty gallons, the brewers have "split the difference," as it were, with the saloon men, each standing half of the raise.

The first extra charge was declared to be on the ground of short crops, which necessarily increased the cost of production.


## Doctor Gave Hood's

**Reduced in Weight by Serious Illness—Gaining Fast by Taking Hood's Sarsaparilla.**

"The grip left my system in a very weak state. I had fallen off in weight from 140 to 119 pounds. I called on my doctor to give me something to build me up. He advised me to try a change of climate and also gave me Hood's Sarsaparilla, with the remark, 'that is the best,' and that I would not need any other medicine. After I had taken the first bottle I found myself greatly improved. I procured another bottle and also a box of Hood's Pills and I was soon perfectly well. I have since taken Hood's Sarsaparilla as a tonic and blood medicine and have always found it good. My husband and little daughter have also taken it with benefit. I have found Hood's Pills an excellent cathartic." MRS. C. F. ROTH, Vernon, Sutter Co., via Nicolaus, California.

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## CHANGES IN THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

### More Assistant and District Engineers are Wanted.

If the idea of Chief Ball of the Oakland Fire Department, contained in a new set of rules and regulations which he introduced this morning, meets with the approval of the Police and Fire Commissioners, the city will soon have another assistant engineer and district engineers stationed about the city.

Except a few minor changes in detail, this is the only manner in which the new rules differ from the old ones.

Chief of Police Fletcher reported that the cost of provisions for the City Prison during May was $99.80, making the cost per meal four cents. Lodgings were furnished to 199 persons during the month.

Chief Ball sent the following communication:

"I beg leave to report that W. E. McGowan, extraman of Engine Company No. 6, has enlisted in the Twenty-third Regiment of United States Regulars, and recommend that he be granted temporary leave of absence in accordance with Resolution No. 1701, as passed by your honorable body, and that Harry Walker be appointed as substitute in his place. Also, that J. C. Bullock be granted sixty days' leave of absence from June 1st, and that Harry Bullock act as substitute."

Walker was then appointed as McGowan's substitute.

Chief Ball further reported that the engine horse, "Fred," died last Sunday.

Chief Ball submitted a badge for firemen, which was adopted. On the badge, which is circular, is engraved an oak tree and the words, "Oakland Fire Department."

## M'CARTHY AFTER RE-APPOINTMENT.

### He Now Wishes to Be Made a Special Police Officer.

An affidavit was presented this morning to the Police and Fire Commissioners by Attorney Hugh S. Aldrich, in behalf of "Jerry" McCarthy, the ex-policeman, who is anxious to be reappointed as a special officer. The affidavit, which was sworn to by McCarthy, makes the following allegations:

"That upon the 14th day of May, 1898, charges of being intoxicated while on duty were filed against him by the Chief of Police, and he was suspended pending a hearing of said charges.

"That prior to the hearing of said charges a number of persons called upon him and advised him to plead guilty to the charges, saying that arrangements had been made whereby he would be fined and restored to duty.

"That acting upon said friends' advice he plead guilty to the said charges.

"That had he not been so advised by said friends, he would not have plead guilty to said charges, and would have presented the testimony of a great number of persons to show mitigating circumstances in connection with said charges."

"That he has been advised, and believes, and so states, that had the Board heard the witnesses in his behalf the judgment rendered against him, 'dismissed,' would not have been rendered, but that a lesser punishment would have been imposed."

In his petition for appointment as a special officer, McCarthy stated that he had been a resident of the city for nineteen years; that he was a married man, 37 years of age, and that he had been a police officer for five years.

Accompanying the petition and affidavit is the following communication from A. K. Grim:

"Gentlemen:—I understand that Policeman J. J. McCarthy has been suspended for supposed violation of some rule or regulation. While I was superintendent of the Oakland Consolidated Street Railway Company, Mr. McCarthy was in the service and was located in the vicinity of Thirteenth and Grove street, which was our main transfer point. I always found him courteous and attentive to the passengers and in every respect performed his duty. I regard him as most excellently qualified for the position unless the charges against him are very serious. I would most respectfully beg you to give the gentleman another opportunity to place himself worthy of your esteem.

"Respectfully,

"A. K. GRIM."

No action was taken by the Commissioners, the matter being referred to the Committee of the Whole.

## NO SCARCITY OF RECRUITS.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, June 15.—Recruits are pouring into Camp Alger to fill the regiments to their full strength. The work of recruiting has been much easier than was expected. It is expected that all recruits from near-by States will have reported by tomorrow night. There is still some anxiety manifested by the troops who have not yet been supplied with arms and ammunition, as they fear they will not be forthcoming for some time.

## THE RED CROSS WILL GIVE NO MORE LUNCHES.

### Money Will Be Saved to Care for Sick Soldiers.

### Mrs. F. B. Ginn's Appeal Meets With a Response.

The Oakland Red Cross Society will spend no more money on well soldiers, nor will it give out of its funds money to buy food for the well soldiers. The soldier of the future, the man who will return sick and footsore and weary from long campaigns and hard service, will be the one on whom money and care will be lavished.

Mrs. F. B. Ginn made an eloquent speech before the Red Cross Society this morning in which she decried the tendency to overlook the future needs of the sick soldiers in order to gratify the smaller desires of the present fighters whose mettle has not yet been tested on the field of battle.

"It is not a calamity for a well man to go without a meal," said she, "but it is a calamity for a sick man to be hungry. Every dollar you spend on these well soldiers you may be taking from a sick soldier. Personally, I would be glad to have every soldier who comes here welcomed with a lunch but we cannot do this and be ready to respond to future demands from the sick. This is not hard-heartedness; it is being provident."

Mrs. Ginn's remarks received the endorsement of the ladies who after voting $100 to the emergency committee decided that the funds of the society would not again be touched to buy food.

The contribution of $17.60 from Mrs. T. L. Merchant was also devoted to feeding the incoming troops, several thousand being expected to-morrow.

Mrs. I. L. Requa has also issued a general appeal for more contributions of food as the committee ran out of provisions yesterday. There were 500 lunches furnished by the ladies Monday to the troops who embarked yesterday.

A detachment of the Colorado troops came near to embarking hungry, but were saved from this unkind fate by Mark Requa, who escorted the soldiers to a near-by restaurant and fed them at his own expense. Other battalions were fed by the Red Cross ladies.

HOSPITAL DONATIONS.

Mrs. Cushing reported that she had received $10 from County Assessor Dalton to be used for hospital supplies. Donations of eggs are greatly needed at the Brigade Hospital, where there are 100 patients.

NEBRASKA'S TENT.

Mrs. Ada Van Pelt reported that she had presented a mess tent to the Nebraska regiment in behalf of the residents of York, Nebraska. She said that the tent was most enthusiastically received with cheers for Nebraska and the Oakland Red Cross. The regiment was drawn up in line, and the tent was presented by Mrs. Van Pelt to the Colonel for the regiment. The tent is a fine one, and was made on this side of the bay. Mrs. Van Pelt had the tent fastened with a handsome floral padlock.

The report of Mrs. Van Pelt was received with applause, and Mrs. Sol Kahn added that she had seen clippings from Nebraska papers bestowing high praise on the Oakland Red Cross Society.

The army surgeons have asked the society to furnish bolts of cheesecloth to be used as bandages, and the ladies intend to send several boxes of this material Friday.

The Red Cross will hold its next meeting Friday morning. Its session will in the future be held on Tuesdays and Fridays.

The financial report for today is as follows: St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, $11; Ladies' Loyal League, $15; Chinese Baptist Church, $3.50; monthly contribution Miss Crane, $1.50; enrollment list No. 73, Letter Carriers' Association, $34; enrollment list No. 72, $6; total, $71; previously acknowledged, $5,653.01; total, $5,724.01.

The following contributions were received at the Red Cross rooms this morning: Mrs. T. L. Merchant, $3; a friend, $2; Mrs. Watson, $5; Mrs. J. B. Trembly, $5; Mrs. Francis Cutting, $5; Little Red Cross Helpers, $3.92; employes of Oakland Postoffice, $24.

## CARPENTER FALLS TWENTY FIVE FEET.

**Lands On His Head But the Injuries Are Not Fatal.**

Ina F. Aymar fell from the roof of the Cotton Mills to-day, sustaining injuries of a serious character. He was at the top of a twenty-five-foot ladder and in the act of climbing onto the cornice, when he slipped and plunged to the ground beneath. He was treated at the Receiving Hospital by Dr. Milton.

Aymar resides at the intersection of Chicago and Fruitvale avenues, and is a carpenter employed at the Mills. He had not been at work an hour when the accident occurred. The physician found an ugly cut at the base of the skull and a deep incision on the chin. The man bore his injuries with fortitude, and was inclined to jest at his misfortune. "I have two cousins on the Oregon," said Mr. Aymar, "but I have seen first blood."

## ROUTINE BUSINESS OF THE BOARD OF TRADE.

**Harry Morse Objects to the Present Condition of Athol Avenue.**

Another letter from Harry N. Morse was read at the meeting of the Board of Public Works this morning. Morse again complains that Superintendent of Streets Miller is neglectful of his duties and asks that he be removed and another man be placed at the head of the Street Department. The specific charge this time is the poor condition of Athol avenue, which Morse claims is due to Miller's neglect.

A number of other matters were also considered at the meeting of the Board.

Clerk Hennessey of the Police Court requested that the matting and woodwork in the Police Court be replaced at a cost not to exceed $100. The matter was referred to the Committee of the Whole.

Secretary Thomas was directed to advertise the sale by public auction of the old engine house on Eighth street between Willow and Campbell streets.

Th Superintendent of Streets was authorized to construct a catch basin at Seventh and Myrtle streets.

The Board then adjourned till this afternoon, at the request of H. H. Winslow of the Pacific Press Publishing Company, who stated that he would have his attorney present at 1 o'clock to address the Board on the proposition of refusing to award contracts to any save printing offices whose work bore the Typographical Union's label.

### LUCY MAY.

Lucy Mary's elbows expressed righteousness her walk conscious worth, and her face wore a sort of "I'm your good girl, ain't I, mamma?" expression that was the admiration of the neighborhood. To her frequent appeals for confirmation on the subject of her excellencies, her mother, instead of answering "Yes; but I'd rather see you bad as Jezebel and tough as Pinkley Alley than a self-righteous, self-sufficient little prig on an eternal pose," would duly reply, "Yes, my darling, you are a very good girl, indeed!" And Lucy Mary would often stiffen her small mouth, and thank the Lord she was not as other little girls, who soiled frocks and stuck out tongues.

One day Lucy Mary went to visit in the fifth story of a hotel. Six very naughty children lived there, and it was thought that an hour or so of Lucy Mary would make them better.

"I wouldn't like it if they said bad words and pulled hair, would I mamma?" said Lucy Mary.

"Oh! if mine were only like that!" sighed the mother of the naughty six.

So Lucy Mary went into the nursery to use her influence. When two of the children quarreled over a red gumdrop—one one of the sugar kind, with a thumbhole in the bottom—she took it away and ate it herself, so that there should be no more disputing. When the older one began to play beads and tails with pennies, she told them it was wicked gambling, and put the pennies in her own pocket, just to lead them out of temptation. If any one started to cry, she whispered that the devil put red-hot pebbles in all the mouths he found wide open, and as you can't cry with any comfort when your mouth is tight shut, they unanimously postponed their grief. And the parents in the next room said: "How good the children have grown already," tears in their eyes.

Looking on a shelf to see if there were and thanked Lucy Mary's mother with any more red gumdrops which might rouse future discord, Lucy Mary found a box of matches.

"You must put them back," said the oldest girl. "We're not allowed to play with matches."

"It is very wrong to play with matches. I wouldn't do such a thing," said Lucy Mary. "It isn't playing, though, to light a newspaper and hold it up the chimney, and it's very interesting." Soon all the children were holding burning newspapers up the chimney or frisking around the room with them.

"You mustn't jump for that's playing," warned Lucy Mary. "We are forbidden to do that, you know." So they tiptoed softly, and talked in whispers.

All at once Lucy Mary saw that the room was on fire.

"It isn't ladylike to scream," she said to herself. "Mamma says you oughtn't to notice people's furniture and things any way. And it isn't nice to stay too long at a first call, so I'd better go home."

She opened the door quietly, but the fire had crept out ahead of her, and the stairs was blazing. At that moment the parents rushed in.

"I told them it was wrong to play with fire," said Lucy Mary. "I wouldn't do such a thing would I mamma?"

"No, my darling, not more than once," said her mother.

The flames could not be checked, so the windows were opened, and the children were thrown out, one by one, into blankets that people held up from beneath. All except Lucy Mary.

It was decided that she was too good to be thrown.

So they left her there.—Life.

### Effects to Be Sold.

Judge Ellsworth to-day signed an order directing W. H. Knight, administrator of the estate of the late Mercy M. Gray, to sell all of her personal property at public or private sale. This includes all of the household and kitchen furniture in the late residence, 1069 Brush street.

When one of the trains bringing troops from Fort Riley reached a small Missouri town an old lady brimming over with benevolent enthusiasm rushed up to a soldier and gave him a warm welcome. She gave him a long talk about what a brave man he was, how she adored his patriotism and how her prayers would follow him when he was in the thick of battle. It must have been a severe humiliation to this kindly, well-meaning old soul to see her "brave soldier" carelessly wave his hand and shout "Well, good-by, old gal; take good care of yourself," as the train pulled out of the depot.


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# ATTEMPTED TO KILL GERMAN DIPLOMAT.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

LONDON, June 15.—While the First Secretary of the German Embassy here, Count Von Arco Valley, was emerging from the Embassy this afternoon, a stranger fired two shots from a revolver at him. One of the bullets entered the secretary's back, but the wound is not believed to be fatal. His assailant was arrested after firing at and missing a policeman. The motive which prompted the man to attempt the life of Count Von Arco Valley is unknown.

# O'BRIEN SEEKS A NEW TRIAL.

## His Attorneys Accuse the Opposing Counsel of Legal Misconduct.

The attorneys employed by James F. O'Brien, Jr., who was convicted recently of assaulting pretty Nina de B. Lopez of Livermore, have not yet given up the fight. They appeared before Judge Ellsworth this morning and although defeated in a motion for arrest of judgment, they attained their object by filing a motion for a new trial.

It is charged that the prosecuting attorneys were guilty of legal misconduct prejudicial to the rights of the defendant, especially in the concluding argument of Mr. Chapman. At the time of delivery Senator McGowan was constantly upon his feet with objections and exceptions, and he was filled with anger at remarks made by opposing counsel, and Prosecuting Attorney Melvin was not left unnoticed for Attorney Moore cast accusations against him which Mr. Chapman later refuted.

Beside this ground, the motion is also urged because the verdict is contrary to law and to the evidence of the case; because the court refused to give certain instructions to the jury as requested by the defendant; and because the court erred in decisions on questions of law. The motion is made upon the evidence, record, pleadings and files.

# SUCCESS OF BOND ISSUE ASSURED.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, June 15.—If there was ever any question about the success of the new 3 per cent war loan, it has been set at rest by the way in which subscriptions are coming in.

The assurance of the success of the loan has, however, been made absolutely certain by two propositions, each covering the entire present issue of $200,000,000—the subscription of the National City Bank and the Central Trust Company. The Vermeyea Company has made a proposition for all unplaced bonds.

An offer was formulated the same day covering the entire amount. It came from J. Pierpont Morgan and a number of associates.

# THROWN TO THE GROUND BY A CAR.

## Hannah Barrett Wants Big Money For Alleged Injuries.

### Thinks Twenty Five Thousand Dollars Is the Proper Sum.

Hannah A. Barrett is out and injured. Not in a slight degree, but to the tune of $25,000. By her complaint filed to-day she seeks to recover this amount from the Oakland Transit Company for an alleged injury on the 16th of last January.

Mrs. Barrett avers that on the day mentioned she was a passenger on the Grove-street line at a point near Fortieth street. She requested the conductor to let her off at Silver street, she says, but the car went dashing by and not until 100 feet past was it brought to a stop. Mrs. Barrett then hurried to alight, but before her feet were off the step the car was suddenly started and she was plunged to the ground.

The injuries resultant from the fall were very disastrous to her physical welfare, so she says, and she believes $25,000 would be a fair equivalent for the pain and suffering brought upon her.

# GENERAL OTIS CAN NOT DECIDE NOW.

### Not Sure Whether Troops Can be Spared for a Sham Battle.

Mayor Thomas this morning received the following letter from General Otis in reference to the request for two regiments of soldiers to fight a sham battle at Adams' Point on July 4th:

"Headquarters Independent Division, Philippine Islands Expeditionary Forces, Camp Merritt, San Francisco, June 13, 1898.

"His Honor, Mayor Thomas, Messrs Heron, Britton and Taylor, of Oakland, California.

"Gentlemen: It is impossible at this early date to make definite reply to your favor of today, in which you request that one or more regiments of this command be permitted to take part in the ensuing Fourth of July celebration in your city. Should conditions be favorable I have no doubt that one or more organizations of this encampment would be glad to participate in the celebration as you suggest.

"Very Sincerely Yours,
"H. G. OTIS,
"Major-General United States Volunteers Commanding."

## LICENSED TO MARRY.

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| Charles H. Anderson, San Francisco | 27 |
| Lillian M. MacAvoy, San Francisco | 25 |
| William Malone, Berkeley | 31 |
| Mary A. Ryan, Oakland | 26 |
| Felix B. Galindo, San Francisco | 31 |
| May C. Chamberlain, Oakland | 23 |
| Max Neckhaus, Fruitvale | 45 |
| Josephine La Fontaine, Fruitvale | 25 |
| Edward K. Dupont, San Francisco | 23 |
| Mabel C. Palmer, Oakland | 23 |
| Otakar C. Wrek, Alameda | 27 |
| Helen Jira, San Francisco | 22 |
| William Kolman, San Francisco | 29 |
| Mollie Hughes, San Francisco | 31 |

### Marriage a Failure.

James E. Griswold has commenced proceedings against Agnes Griswold whereby he seeks to sever the bonds of holy wedlock.

# REPUBLICAN RULE MEANS PROSPERITY.

## The South Flourishing Under Protective Tariff.

### Senator Pritchard Praises the Administration's Policy.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, June 15.—In the course of an extended speech in the Senate to-day upon "the benefits of Republican rule," Mr. Pritchard, Republican, of North Carolina, said:

"The great change which has taken place in the financial, commercial and economic conditions of our country since the inauguration of a Republican President and the enactment of a Republican tariff directs attention again to the benefits which have invariably flowed from the administration of the Government by the great party of Lincoln, Grant and McKinley. Not in many years, if ever, have the material prospects of the United States been as bright as they are to-day, and for this the wise and patriotic administration of the laws formed and passed by the Republican party is responsible.

"To suggest that the balance of trade in favor of the United States for one year could, much less would, reach the prodigious sum of $600,000,000 seemed like idle folly. Never before in the history of the Nation has the favorable trade balance been half that much. And yet the prediction was well founded, and unless the law of probabilities fails the trade balance, which for the ten months ending April 30 was $514,245,495, will be over $600,000,000 by June 30. The nearest approach to this extraordinary record was last year, when the balance in our favor was $286,263,144.

"It is estimated that for the full fiscal year the net amount of coin received in partial settlement of our huge merchandise balance will be at least $100,000,000. This is more than double any previous cash balance for one year, the largest having been $44,653,200 for the year 1879."

After describing the agricultural and commercial trials through which the South has passed, Mr. Pritchard said:

"But a brighter day has dawned. Out of the wreck of schemes and ill founded hopes has arisen a new generation, who, working with head, hand and heart, is raising the Southern States to a place where prosperity, plenty and happiness shall be the familiar portion of their people. In the front rank of States that are working out a splendid destiny stands North Carolina. No State has greater possibilities; none greater need of the fostering care that flows from the Republican control of the Government.

"The citizens of my State have not been backward in entering upon the development of her industries, and the whirr of spindle and the click of the loom in hundreds of cotton mills is daily teaching her people the great lesson of industrial expansion. Prosperity has come to North Carolina to stay. This year there is a boom. Farm products are from 15 to 40 per cent advanced. Horses are 75 per cent higher than in 1897, and few are to be had. Poultry is 150 per cent above last year. The lumber industry that was prostrated in 1896-97 is active and prosperous. Tobacco is higher than in four years.

"Such is the news that comes to our ears, not only from North Carolina, but from every part of this great country. The song of an ever-widening, ever-deepening prosperity is in every ear, and this after less than a year of protective tariff legislation."

# TO INVADE PORTO RICO.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, June 15.—A special to the Tribune from Washington says:

The Fourth Army Corps, Major-General John C. Coppinger commanding, has been definitely designated to undertake the occupation of Porto Rico. It will be rapidly increased to a force of 20,000 men, including all available regulars now in the South, with the addition of the best volunteer regiments at Tampa, Chickamauga and Falls Church Va. The selections will be made in the next day or two, with chief regard to the military qualifications of the volunteers.

# OREGON BOYS FOR MANILA.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

PORTLAND, Or., June 15.—Under the second call of the President for troops Governor Lord today issued instructions for recruiting to its maximum strength the Oregon regiment of volunteers now on its way to Manila. Oregon's quota under the second call is 330 men.

# SENATE TAKES UP PENSION BILLS.

The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.
Associated Press Dispatches by

WASHINGTON, June 15.—After the transaction of some routine business today the Senate under a special order began the consideration of bills on the private pension calendar.

### Insurance Agent's Suicide.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

LEAVENWORTH, Kas., June 15.—Willis H. Stacey, a prominent insurance agent of this city and a member of the firm of Stacey & Bacon at Kansas City, shot himself in the head here to-day, producing a fatal wound. The cause is unknown.

# WOULD-BE SUICIDE WAS CONSIDERATE.

## Notifies the Coroner and Then Takes Laudanum.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 15.—This morning Coroner Hawkins received a letter written on Palace Hotel stationery and signed by W. D. Humaston, in which the writer expressed his determination to take laudanum, and enclosed $75 which he desired to be used to pay for the cremation of his body. A cornorer's deputy went to Humaston's room and found that he had made good his threat to take the drug, but that he was not dead. He was removed to a hospital, and it is supposed that his life will be saved.

From papers found in the room it appears that Humaston came from the East, but is more recently from Stockton. He is supposed to be a newspaper man, and appears to be about 27 years of age.

Humaston called on Coroner Hawkins later in the day, and drew down the check for $75 left by him to pay cremation expenses. He says there was no particular reason for his deed, but that he just wanted to die.

He gave his address as Minneapolis, where his mother resides. He came from Stockton yesterday and registered at the Palace, paying for one day's stay at that hostelry. He drank four ounces of laudanum, but the dose was such an excessive one that it caused him to vomit, thus saving his life.

# FRED PERKINS GETS A GOOD NAVAL OFFICE.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, June 15.—The President today sent the nomination to the Senate of Fred W. Perkins of California, to be Assistant Paymaster in the navy.

Fred Perkins is the son of Senator Perkins, and is at present a resident of Oakland, though he has been traveling considerably of late. He was sent from here some years ago to Annapolis, and there took a course of construction in naval affairs.

About two weeks ago Perkins went to Washington and the fruits of his trip are apparent by the above dispatch.

# HAVANA PAPER SCORES AMERICA.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

HAVANA, June 15.—The Union Constitutional says the insurgent chief Caballero, who took up arms against the Spanish government at Baire on February 24, 1895, arrived at Santa Clara a few days ago to join the brigade organized by the former insurgent chieftain Masso.

In an interview Cabellaro is asserted to have said that the leading insurgent chiefs recently discussed the question of accepting American intervention in Cuba and that a majority of the great leaders were against American intervention.

The Chancellor of the University has cited Professors Federio Horstniann Canter, Manuel Johnson, Juan L'Arralde, Francisco Osarill, Julian Carlos Chappoty, L'Histe, and Ricardo Dolz Arango, to present themselves to him within fifty days from date to answer the charge of leaving the island without permission.

La Lucha, commenting on a cable dispatch received from Madrid, saying the resignation of the whole Spanish cabinet is probable and that it is likely another cabinet will be formed under Marshal Martinez de Campos, the former Captain-General of Cuba, says: "If Martinez de Campos forms a cabinet with Silvelaists, Spanish policy may become more complicated, especially if Senor Silvela and his partisans insist upon following their policy, in opposition to the sentiment of the majority of Spaniards, who are occupied at the present moment in repelling the brutal aggression of a nation which, because it is powerful, is attempting to possess itself of Spanish colonies, in the same manner as a robber who takes by surprise, or forces somebody else's property.

# BRITISH PRIZE AT KEY WEST.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

KEY WEST, June 15.—The British steamer Twickenham, captured off Kingston on June 10th by the auxiliary cruiser St. Louis, arrived here today in charge of a prize crew. She had on board 3,000 tons of coal and one passenger, who is supposed to be an employe of the Spanish government.

# GERMANY WILL KEEP HANDS OFF.

The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.
Associated Press Dispatches by

WASHINGTON, June 15.—The State Department has been officially advised that reports that Germany would make an issue in the Philippines are unwarranted. German ships would be on hand at Manila to afford protection to German subjects and property, but Germany has not thought of intervention.

# POPULIST COMMITTEES IN OMAHA.

## "Middle of the Roaders" are Knifing the Fusionists.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

OMAHA, June 15.—The regular National Committee of the People's party is meeting here today and has a fight on its hands to keep out the "Middle of the Roaders" who last year organized the separate Milton Park National Committee. Many of the Park's anti-fusion committee are members of Senator Marion Butler's regular committee, and all summer, through Martin Burke of Philadelphia, they have been working hard to secure promises. The regular committee, to offset the schemes of the "Middle of the Roaders," has secured a large number of proxies also. When the committees roll was called it was discovered that between 75 and 100 proxies were held.

George F. Washburn of Massachusetts had twenty-five contests in Illinois, Iowa, Ohio, Pennsylvania, and several other States to be settled, and Chairman Butler appointed a Credential Committee favorable to his side of the question, consisting of Senator Allen of Nebraska, Ex-Governor Buchanan of Tennessee, E. Pomeroy of New Jersey, A. H. Carden of Kentucky and Congressman C. A. Barlow of California, every one a Fusionist. This committee is now considering the contests. The Park Committee has not yet obtained any material concessions from the Butler committee.

The whole ticket, with the exception of Lieutenant Governor, is likely to be renominated. Lieutenant Governor Harvey was recently appointed Major of the Twenty-second Kansas Volunteers, and is now with his regiment at Falls Church, Va. It is anticipated that the Democratic Convention at Atchison today will nominate David Overmyer for Lieutenant Governor, and that the Populist Convention will endorse him.

# POLITICS IN FRESNO COUNTY.

## Democrats and Populists Nominate a Ticket.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

FRESNO, June 15.—The Populist and Democratic conventions held in this city yesterday and today have practically completed their labors. Fusion has been endorsed unqualifiedly; and the best of understanding exists between the two parties.

The nominations made are: For Sheriff, J. D. Collins; District Attorney, L. O. Everett; Tax Collector, J. B. Hancock; Assessor, J. W. Ferguson; County Clerk, George W. Cartwright; Auditor, A. S. Hays; County Treasurer, J. P. Nelson; Superintendent of Schools, J. W. Ramsey; County Surveyor, C. D. Davis; Recorder, Jas. M. Kerr; Public Administrator, W. O. Miles; Assemblyman, Sixty-second District, John Fairweather; Sixty-third District, L. P. Griffin; State Senator, Sixteenth District, Henry C. Haskins.

### Kansas Democrats.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

ATCHISON, Kas., June 15.—The Democratic State convention was called to order at the Atchison theater at 11 o'clock this morning by J. Mack Love, chairman of the Democratic State Central Committee. There are over 300 delegates in attendance David Overmeyer, who was selected as temporary chairman, was received with applause. In his remarks he endorsed the present Populist State administration of Governor John W. Leedy.

He congratulated the delegates that Kansas was no longer a Republican State. The present State administration was elected by Democrats, and he was proud of it. Things, said he, were now shaping themselves so that the time is coming when there will not be three parties in opposition to the Republicans, but one instead, the old, indestructible Democracy. He congratulated the delegates upon the restoration of the real Democracy and the overthrow and exile of the "psoudo Democracy that had seized the machinery of the Democratic party."

Referring to the Chicago Convention, he congratulated the delegates further upon what he termed its immortal platform and its illustrious candidate. He paid an eloquent tribute to Bryan, and, referring to his action in accepting a colonelcy, prayed that the Nebraskan might be spared and returned to the Democrats. Chairman Overmyer's remarks on fusion were greeted with moderate enthusiasm.

The committees were appointed and a recess taken.

### Kansas Populists Convene.

Associated Press Dispatches by
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TOPEKA, Kas., June 15.—There were six candidates for temporary chairman at the opening of the Populist State convention here today. Judge E. Andrews of Lane county was chosen. He said: "I appreciate the honor of presiding over a convention which is to renominate our present State officers. I need not speak individually of these men. Their ecords will stand the most exacting criticism. In the great contest going on our party was the first to declare that the principles of humanity should be applied to the island of Cuba.

"The chairman at Hutchinson a few days ago sarcastically asked, 'Where would we be now if Bryan was President?' I will say that we would now be closing the war without the issuance of bonds." (Cheers, and cries of "hit them again.")

### Board of Trade Meeting.

The regular meeting of the Oakland Board of Trade will be held Friday morning at 9 A. M. June 17th.

# POLICE COURT MAY DEAL WITH LIBEL CASES.

## Judge Ellsworth Passes On an Important Point.

### The Old Gavin Dhu High Case Revived In Court.

The libel case against Gavin Dhu High was restored to life this morning by a partial decision handed down from Judge Ellsworth's bench. This opinion determines the jurisdiction of the Police Court over all libel cases and establishes its right to handle them.

The case against Mr. High was instituted two years ago. The trial was heard in the Police Court and the editor found guilty. Two appeals were immediately taken to the Superior Court,—one attacking the jurisdiction of the Police Court over such cases, and the second based upon the errors of law in the course of the trial.

It was with respect to the first only that Judge Ellsworth spoke to-day. He stated that it was his opinion that libel cases properly come under the jurisdiction of the Police Court and the appeal on this point was therefore defective. With respect to the second appeal, the court continued the matter until August 3rd.

The significance of this decision of court is far reaching. It not only establishes the validity of all previous cases tried by the Police Court, but determines a new point of law. The way is now open for a new trial, and this is the next action expected from the defendant's attorneys.

# YOUNG REPUBLICANS TO MEET FRIDAY.

The Young Men's Republican League will hold its next meeting next Friday evening, June 17th, at Gier's Hall, Fourteenth and Washington streets. Since the last meeting from seventy-five to eighty young men have signed application cards, and these are requested to be present at this meeting.

President A. H. Breed desires to announce that he has received the Young Men's Republican League buttons, and they will be ready for distribution Friday evening.

# THE ASCOT WINNERS.

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The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

LONDON, June 15.—At the second day's racing at Ascot Heath, Leopold de Rothschild's four-year-old bay colt, Jaquemart, won the Royal Hunt Cup, valued at 500 sovereigns, with 1,500 sovereigns added. Twenty horses ran, including James R. Keene's chestnut colt Bersak, H. I. Higham's chestnut colt, Fostor, was second, and Dina third.

### Read Misquoted.

At the meeting of the Board of Public Works yesterday, A. J. Read, in his argument against the Pacific Press Publishing Company, referred to a Mr. Frisbie, employed by that institution. Mr. Read was quoted as having said that Frisbie received so small a wage from the Pacific Press that he could not purchase sufficient food and clothing for his wife and family. What Mr. Read really did say was that Frisbie's wages were not large enough to enable him to paint a house that he had recently built near Lake Merritt, and that the house was an eyesore to the city.

### Charged With Battery.

John Dickerhoff, charged with battery, was arrested this morning by Sergeant Green upon a warrant sworn to by Frank Silva, who keeps a saloon at the corner of Seventh and Filbert streets.

### Trial Juror Excused.

E. B. Reader was today excused by Judge Greene from service as a trial juror on account of illness.

MARRIED.

ANDERSON—MacAVOY—In St John's Church, this city, June 14, 1898, by the Rev. F. J. Mynard, Charles Henry Anderson and Lillian Maud MacAvoy, both of San Francisco.

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# JUDGE GREENE QUASHES THE JURORS HOPES.

## Knowles' Attorneys Want Four Jurors Restored.

### The Court Says it is Settled and Refuses to Listen.

When the case against W. A. Knowles was called this morning, Attorney Emil Nusbaumer arose to make a motion. "Before the regular procedure of the case, your Honor," said the attorney, "I desire to present a motion on behalf of the defendant. We move that the names of the four persons so summarily dropped from the regular panel be placed in the box from which is to be drawn the jury to try this defendant's case, and that these persons be reinstated upon the regular panel of trial jurors." There was no argument upon the question, for before Mr. Nusbaumer could utter a syllable, the court declared:

"That is a matter that this court exercised its jurisdiction and judgment upon, and it is settled. No motion will be entertained concerning it. The case may proceed."

A week ago the attorneys appeared in court with a voluminous affidavit signed by W. A. Knowles, which detailed the expelling of the jurors, claiming that it was done peremptorily and without the assignment of any reason, therefore praying for their restoration. It was contended that the defendant's cause was prejudiced by this action in that no juror would hereafter feel the freedom and independence of his position and would cater to the court's austerity.

Knowles was indicted by the Grand Jury several months ago and charged with interpolating in a release of mortgage in a deal with the University Regents. He was released on $8,000 bonds; but three weeks ago was surrendered by one of his bondsmen, John Rohan.

Judge A. L. Frick and Emil Nusbaumer are representing the defendant, while District Attorney Snook is conducting the case of the State. The morning passed in securing a few of the jurors.

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# New County Baseball League is Formed.

## Wheelmen Enjoy Jaunts Into the Suburban Resorts.

## VACATION SEASON IS AT HAND.

## Professionals and Amateurs are Putting up Good Ball.

There has been a notable slump in matters athletic the past week, due, perhaps, to the proximity of the vacation season. Athletes, like other mortals, desire rest, and the fortunate ones released from work are basking on the beach or summering in the mountains, while those less favored at home prefer also to keep in the shade. These are the days of kodakers, picnickers, surf-rollers and soldiers.

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Baseball enthusiasts have had two rare treats during the past week. Seldom doesc one long to see a more exciting exhibition than was given by the Santa Cruz and local contingents at Recreation Park last Sunday. Though diversified by clever and occasional wild plays, there was a closeness and rare uncertainty to the game that held the interest of every one. It was anybody's game at every point, and not until the last man was out could one possibly pick the winner. And when the winning run was scored it happened so unexpectedly that the Oakland boys hardly appreciated their success. Moskiman is the hero of the game. Next Sunday a return game will be played at Santa Cruz, and the Beachcombers are lying in wait for Manager Ewing and his "hairless wonders."

Scarcely less enjoyable was the game at Freeman's Park wherein errors galore and to batting to suit were the order, and whereby the Stars retained unspotted the purity of their record. The third inning was a veritable game of tag for the Camilloni & Lagorias, but it proved to be the death kick of an uphill struggle, and not again did they have Captain Knowles' men on the run. Frequent outbursts of applause evidenced the enjoyment of the "rooters" who were out in force.

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It is astounding what a very large proportion of the members of the National Guard of the several States now under arms in the Spanish-American war are cyclists. The count recently taken in Illinois reveals that no less than two thousand wheelmen are in the ranks of the volunteers from that State alone, and no doubt the ratio is indicative of the proportion in other sections of the country. While a majority of the soldier-cyclists will serve as officers and privates in their respective regiments, it is probable that the bicycle will be employed as a means of reconnoissance and for dispatch bearing through the medium of the organized cycling corps of the regular army.

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A very commendable movement is on foot in the Reliance Club for the formation of a military company. It is purposed not merely to form a temporary organization for war emergency, but to make this a permanent adjunct to the Club. In these stirring times of wars and rumors of wars, this feature will no doubt prove popular, to say the least. It appeals to common sense as a very decorous measure for athletic young men to consider.

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"Tandem racing is growing in popularity all over the country this season," says the June Outing. Tandem handicaps proved a pronounced success last year, and will be found on a majority of 1898 programmes, while other forms of tandem competition are also being introduced.

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The sudden death of Arthur M. Boyden last Wednesday deprived the local sporting circles of one of its most popular members. As a handicap rider Boyden was one of the best in the State, while his athletic proclivities led him into prominence as a participant on the track and baseball diamond. He leaves a large circle of friends both in and outside of the sport. Deceased was a well-known member of the Reliance Club.

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Interest is centering about the new County Baseball League, which will play the initial game next Sunday at Freeman's Park. Some of the teams which made application for places on the schedule will not be seen in this tournament as the directors deemed it better to have fewer teams and good, close games, than to admit a lot of weak clubs which would be illy matched against the more formidable contingents.

It is to be hoped that the people of Alameda county, and particularly those of Oakland, will manifest an interest in this competition for the Heeseman trophy, and give the players winning support.

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Oakland maintains the only self-supporting baseball team in the State League. While other clubs are backed by the voluntary subscriptions of generous citizens, ours is an independent organization that paddles its own canoe. Pertly has the question been put by one who asked: "If Oakland can put up a respectable team on the present basis, what couldn't she put up with a few hundred dollars behind it?" With but a couple of changes the local band would stand unequaled on the Coast.

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A new feature in wheeling jaunts was introduced last Sunday by the Acme and Bay City Wheelmen in their blind run. The two clubs set out at 10:30 o'clock in the morning on an almanac run, the destination being known only to Captains Larkin and Shedd. After an exciting coasting contest, the run was continued to Laundry Farm where a magnificent spread was enjoyed.

THE UMPIRE.

## BASEBALL.

Sunday will be the opening day of the County League, and the games scheduled for the local grounds should be warm enough for the most exacting. At Freeman's Park the Piedmont Parlors, one of the best teams in the State, will try conclusions with the California Stars, who have been winning from everything they have tackled. The Piedmonts have been wanting to get a chance at the Stars for some time, but could not on account of the arrangement of dates; and as the Stars have been looking forward to their first game with the mighty Piedmonts, knowing that it will be the hardest they have as yet played, both teams are looking for a warm reception, and they will probably find it.

Up to their last game the Stars had been putting up great ball, but the narrow escape they experienced Sunday will doubtless steady them down again and result in their usual clean, snappy play.

The Piedmonts are so well known that it is needless to say they will put up a good game, for with very few exceptions they have always played an exceedingly clever match.

At Elmhurst Recreation Park, the Elmhurst team will cross bats with the Grand Rule Bazaars, and as their last game was very close and interesting, and both teams are very much improved since then, this contest will probably be better than any of the late ones on this diamond.

That the local teams have been playing good ball is shown by the scores, and that they will continue to do so after the commencement of the scheduled games goes without saying.

The Oakland boys have snatched six out of eight games played. They are now second in the league, with Sacramento a tare first. There is good material in the team, and it stands a strong winning chance to pull out of the season triumphant.

The great game with Santa Cruz played last Sunday was virtually won by Lou Hardie's throw to home plate, shutting off a run. He has been the recipient of many compliments. Dean also put up a star game on that occasion.

The Oaklanders journey to Santa Cruz next Sunday to play a return game. It is hoped that the local team will plow the sand and wipe the beach with the Clam Diggers.

Manager Ewing is considering the advisability of playing some morning games at Freeman's Park on this side of the bay. This would afford local cranks a chance to witness a home game in the professional league.

The county team is scheduled to battle with the Fats of Haywards on the Fourth of July morning. For a star game spiced by many errors this contest will be unparalleled.

## ACME AFFAIRS.

The joint run of the Acme and Bay City wheelmen last Sunday was a very enjoyable affair. About forty of the Bay City boys came over on the 9 o'clock creek boat, and were met at the foot of Broadway by Captain Shedd and an escort of Acme wheelmen. The column of riders proceeded up Broadway and continued to the Acme headquarters. Here the Bay Citys inspected the club rooms and amused themselves for half an hour in the gymnasium.

The destination of the run was known only to the captain of the clubs, and considerable guessing was indulged in as to the place selected for meeting the commissary department. As the members rolled leisurely along Eighth street to East Oakland it was early presumed that the lake or Leona Heights was the selected spot. On the way over advantage was taken of the slope on Twelfth street, which is rapidly becoming an excellent street to hold a coasting match. About fifteen entries started one at a time from the top of the hill, but Captain Shedd presented the least obstruction to the wind and rolled himself into first place.

At the Heights an express wagon was in waiting loaded with an excellent lunch, and the party filled upon it with that vengeance which is peculiar to bikers when making a charge upon what is palatable after an agreeable ride. While resting under the shade of the trees, the boys were entertained by Wagor, Crossman, Bedbury, Anderson and others in the rendition of popular songs. The wayfarers through Laundry Farm might still find echoes of the melodies floating through those hills. The atmosphere can hardly have cleared, they came so thick and fast.

Sixteen new members were added to the club roll last month, and the applications are still coming.

A smoker is in preparation for this month, and an exhibition for the early part of next. The masquerade given by the club a short time ago was so thoroughly enjoyed the members are anxious to see it repeated later in the year. Many prospective trips are being discussed for the summer vacation. The wheel will be a popular means of travel.

## MISCELLANEOUS.

It is proposed to have a game of baseball in comedy at Alameda next Saturday afternoon for the benefit of the Red Cross. The competing nines are called the Good Things and the Old Things, and the players are well known citizens who have never been suspected of any knowledge of the national game. To lend zest to the game, there will be five umpires so that a mere or less exciting time is expected.

At the next meeting of the California Associated Cycling Clubs a change in the by-laws will be suggested with a view to changing the representation of the clubs. At present each club in the association is allowed three delegates on the Board of Governors. Under the proposed conditions each club will be allowed one delegate and additional representation proportionate to the number of club members who are also individual members of the association. The evident desire is to increase the individual membership.

The officers of the association are striving to gain new members and up to the present time have been most successful in their efforts. As an incentive for persons to work in this matter a number of prizes have been offered. There are rewards for persons securing from one to one hundred members. For the latter number a "White" bicycle of the latest pattern will be the reward of the successful competitor.

In the inter-club tennis tournament the Hardy brothers of this city defeated Holmes and Bowen of Alameda Saturday afternoon by a score of three sets to one. The Oaklanders far excelled their opponents.

The Empire Gun Club held its regular club shoot Sunday at Alameda Junction. In the classification race at twenty-five blue rock birds the scores were as follows:

King 20, Debenham 19, Mitchell 18, Kerrison 20, Andrus 19, Javete 16, Johnson 14, Fearn 5, Colestock 12, Krause 10, Sears 22 Baird 15, Brown 18, Lockwood 8, Fischer 14, Betten 21, Tellerson 19, Klevesahl 22, La Motte 9, Lambert 11, Lewis 8, Crackajack 7, Hauer 18, Justins 5. In the re-entry race—shooting off for the regular cash prizes—the scores were: King 18, Kerrison 23, Sears 23, Betten 20, Klevesahl 20, Debenham 23, Mitchell 19, Andrus 23, Brown 16, Tellerson 18, Hauer 20, Javete 19, Johnson 18, Baird 10, Fischer 18. The first money, $8, was divided between Sears and Kerrison; second money $6, was divided between Debenham and Andrus, and Javete took third money, $4.

The Alert Gun Club shot at Bird's Point. Phil Bekeart carried off the silver cup offered to the best man in the twenty-five bird race. The scores were as follows: Bekeart 24, Palmer 21, Maybe 21, Summerfield 20, Friedlander 21, Mike 15, Walker 14, Rafael 17, Isaacs 16. In a match at ten targets the scores were as follows: Friedlander 8, Walker 7, Palmer 8, Isaacs 9, Rafael 8, Maybe 8, Palmer 10, Isaacs 6, Rafael 8, Maybe 7, Friedlander 7, Isaacs 7, Radert 4, Palmer 8, Bragg 8, Walker 4, Summerfield 9. The club will have another shoot a week from next Sunday, when several trophies will be offered.

Interest in target practice has greatly increased of late, especially among the militia. The members of the National Guard who were not fortunate enough to be sent to the front have been playing war at Shell Mound Park. Several companies have held their target practice the past week.

The Alameda cricketers defeated the Pacific in the two days' match, the wind up of which took place yesterday. The score at the close stood 249 to 247 in favor of Alameda.

A special yachting number is Town Talk's offering this week, with halftones of the crafts that are moored off Belvedere and Sausalito. Town Talk seems to be displaying the most enterprise of any of the weeklies in getting out one special after another.

The regatta of the Ariel Rowing Club and the gathering of all the oarsmen of the bay at Long Bridge on last Sunday was a complete success from early in the morning, when the reception to the ladies and other guests was given at the boat houses, until late in the afternoon, when the high jinks at the South End boat house were closed. The day was perfect and the races excellent.

The northern lawn tennis championship contest opened at Liverpool yesterday. In the preliminary round for the gentlemen's singles Clarence Hobart of the United States won out. The Sporting Life says:

"Mr. Hobart's victory was not brilliantly gained, and he will have to improve on this display in order to gain championship honors."

The German cycle corps of 1,000 men has fully proved the advantages of the bicycle, outdoing mounted men in swiftness and endurance and acquitting themselves well in conveying orders and dispatches, doing scout and patrol duty, occupying and holding bridges, exposed spots, etc., and in covering artillery, baggage and even cavalry.

## RELIANCE CLUB.

Next Sunday the Reliance bicycle annex will have an outing. Captain Deacon has not made known the destination as yet, but he claims to have a fine place picked out and a fine clam bake and swim for those that attend.

Charles Tye of the club will meet John Lahey at the Excelsior Athletic Club next Monday night. Tye is in fine shape and feels very confident of winning. He tried Lahey out at a gentleman's night held by the club, and bested him in three rounds. Lahey has improved greatly since ehen and it is sure to be a great go.

Harry Platt will meet Harry Gelder on the mat before the Stockton Athletic Club on the 28th of the month. Platt and Gelder wrestled here for an hour and a half a year ago and neither one secured a fall. They will wrestle twenty-minute bouts, two out of three.

Quite a number of the boys are training for the bicycle races at Sacramento on the Fourth of July. Deacon is getting in fine shape and expects to win the championship again. He has bought a Columbia chainless and thinks it is way ahead of the chain wheel.

George Franck has left for Trinity county for a two months' trip.

James Jeffries and Billy Delaney left last Sunday night for New York. Quite a number of the members went down to see them off.

## Y. M. C. A.

The Y. M. C. A. boys will have their first plunge in the Piedmont baths Thursday evening. It is an annual custom of the Y. M. C. A. to hold its swimming section at the Piedmont baths, since the management has made a reduction to all the boys who present their membership cards. The swimming section is under the supervision of Physical Director A. T. Brock.

In the near future there will be some races.

Captain Edwards of the Athens basket ball team is trying to arrange a game of basket ball with the soldier teams from the East which is stationed at Camp Richmond. An article in the San Francisco Chronicle Sunday morning stated that they wished to arrange a game with some of the teams around the bay. If satisfactory arrangements can be made we will have a game with them before they leave to fight the Spaniards.

### Lord Seymour at Halifax.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

HALIFAX, N. S., June 15.—Lord Seymour, the new commander-in-chief of the British army in Canada, arrived last night from Quebec.

Advices from Newfoundland state that a British syndicate is buying all lobster factories on the French shore, and it is believed that the company has inside information of a pending settlement of the French shore question, as otherwise the investment would be precarious.

### Trial Juror Excused.

H. C. Coward has been excused by Judge Ellsworth from further service as a trial juror.

# YOUNG HELPERS HAVE PLANNED THEIR CAMPAIGN.

## Food and Cash Needed for Soldiers Wives and Kin.

Headquarters for the Young Ladies' Relief Society, organized to care for the helpless families of volunteer soldiers, have been opened in the Canning block, on the southwest corner of Broadway and Thirteenth street, in this city, and a practical work of relief commenced by the organization.

B. Y. Yore, as agent for the Canning estate, offered to the young ladies of the society a suite of rooms, which was accepted, and hereafter the society's work will be managed there. In room 31 the main office is located, and other apartments are to be used for the storage of supplies. The headquarters will be kept open during the day hereafter.

The work undertaken by the society has greatly increased, but the community has taken a keen interest in the same, and the workers will be able to care for many a deserving mother, sister and child.

At a meeting held yesterday afternoon at headquarters, attended by twenty young ladies, a full report of all aid rendered to deserving families to date was received, and provision was made for others who had applied for help. Miss Irene Baker, president of the society, presided at the meeting, and appointed Miss Jane Rawlings to act as chairman of the ways and means committee, Miss Pauline Fore chairman of the executive committee and Miss Bertha McElrath chairman of the investigating committee.

It was explained in the meeting that the pitiful case of a Berkeley woman who had been left helpless by a soldier husband had again been attended to, and that groceries, clothing and medicine had gone to the unfortunate woman in liberal quantities. Three other deserving people had been made comfortable by the young women.

It was agreed at the meeting that an earnest appeal would be sent out to the public in general for such contributions in the line of food and clothing as could be secured, and for ready money with which fuel and the necessities of life may be purchased for the suffering and needy.

Of the many soldiers who moved to the front from Alameda county, but few left their homes in a flourishing and independent condition. Many an humble fireside has since been desolate, many a stomach empty and many a back poorly covered. To all such the work of relief offers succor.

Applications have been received where aged mothers need for bread, or a shawl to keep them warm; where children have no shoes; where wives are without food; where bedding is wanted, and where able hands can find no employment. And in all such cases the young women who are fighting at home will aid those who are battling at the front.

The society members who took the obligation of the order at yesterday's meeting are: President, Miss Irene Baker; vice president, Miss Florence Sharon; secretary, Miss Jean Howard; treasurer, Miss Grace Gorrill; recording secretary, Miss Gertrude Allen; Misses Sadie Hale, Edith Selby, Jane Rawlings, Pauline Fore, Florence Edoff, Roselle Nicholson, Clara Belle Munsell, Elizabeth Edelin, Marion Randall, Gertrude Gould, Helene Bell, Olive Middleton and Belle Carpenter. A score of other members will sign immediately.

The following donations received have headed the list of subscriptions which is to help the young women to carry on their good work: George W. Baker, $20; R. W. Gorrill, $5; anonymous, $1; anonymous, $1; a little girl, $1; H. D. Cushing (in supplies), $5; City Hall Meat Market (in supplies), $2; Mrs. Paulin of Highland Park, clothing; total, $35.

Besides this, the members themselves have established a treasury of goodly proportions.

And now the aid of every patriotic citizen and child is called for. Small though it may be, every atom will help to assist some of the needy ones who have been deprived of support through the call of the provider to go to the front.

## REPUBLICANS IN THE FOURTH WARD.

### Have Organized and Will Elect Officers Next Tuesday Night.

The Fourth Ward McKinley Club that did such effective work two years ago passed out of existence last night and the organization will henceforth be known as the Fourth Ward Republican Club. A meeting was held in People's Hall last night which was called to order by S. W. Getchell and the change was effected.

A report on the revision of the by-laws was adopted. It was signed by C. E. Snook, T. F. Mock, W. S. O'Brien, F. A. Davis, and H. F. Gordon. There will be meetings on the first and third Tuesdays of each month and next Tuesday officers will be elected. Every member will do his best to insure a big attendance and to get over 250 names on the roll.


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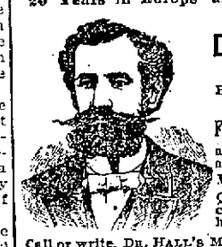

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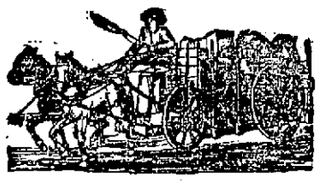

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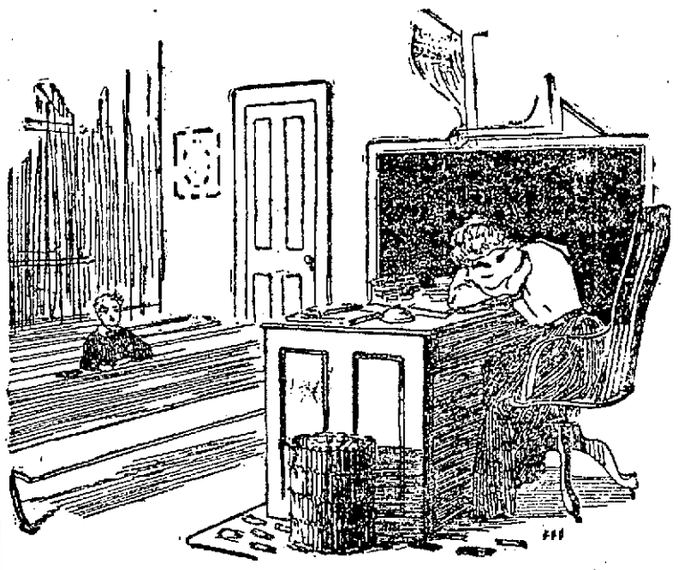

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A balance of the capital stock is controlled by W. R. Ellis who owns 350,000 shares out of a total of 500,000 shares. There are 25 other share holders, the heaviest being G. E. Kennedy, George Beck & Company, and C. L. Crellin with 10,000 shares each.

Articles of incorporation were filed with the County Clerk late this afternoon.

# MORE FOOD NEEDED FOR THE SOLDIERS.

## Lunch Must be Served to the Hungry Troops on Their Arrival.

An urgent appeal is made for food for all the soldiers. There are 4,000 troops expected within the next two days and there are neither provisions nor money to provide them with the lunch that has welcomed every other battalion after its long and wearisome journey across the continent with only hard bread and coffee to subsist upon. Every delegation of troops that has visited the Oakland Red Cross table has cheered for the Society and the women who have so ably dispensed the Society's hospitality.

Mrs. I. L. Requa is chairman of the committee and has worked from early until late in behalf of the boys in blue. Not only has she given freely of her own money, but she has also given her time and labor, her sympathy and ready helpfulness. To sick soldiers she has given advice and medicine; to the discouraged she has given encouragement, and to the weary she has given new hope.

It is that this work may be carried on that this committee appeals for contributions of food which have almost ceased to be received since the first enthusiasm has worn away.

Butter, coffee, cold meat, hard boiled eggs and sandwiches are especially requested. All donations should be left at Agard's grocery store on Fourteenth street near Broadway.

# GOVERNOR RICHARDS IS COMING TO OAKLAND.

Governor Richards and Chief Justice Porter of Wyoming, accompanied by their staff, will visit Oakland to-morrow, reaching this city at 1:30 P. M. The party will include A. C. Richards, former Chief Deputy under Assessor Dalton. The party will visit various points of interest and will be later entertained at dinner by George Hunt, who is a brother-in-law to Governor Richards. In the evening the local lodge of A. O. U. W. will entertain the distinguished visitors, who are prominent members of the order. County Clerk Frank C. Jordan will confer the Oriental degree on fifteen candidates and as the conferring of the degree is an unmixed delight to the spectator, there will probably be a lively time at the meeting. After the degree team has finished its work, there will be a banquet and speech-making.

# N. S. G. W. DEPUTIES ARE NOW APPOINTED.

Grand President W. M. Conlay, N. S. G. W., of Madera has made the following appointment of district deputies: J. J. Allen, Oakland Parlor; L. Cobbledick, Brooklyn Parlor; F. Barnet, Piedmont Parlor; Doctor Reynolds, Eden Parlor; Populall M. D. of Haywards Parlor.

Deputy Grand Presidents at Large: H. B. Belden, Athens Parlor; C. Kramm, Piedmont Parlor; J. Norris, Washington Parlor; J. Bates, Halcyon Parlor.

The deputies will depart from the usual custom of confining their activities to their immediate circle and will, instead, be prominent in outside districts, notably in San Francisco.

# THE MOTHER CANNOT NOW INTERFERE.

Demurrer was to-day filed to the amended complaint in the action of Sarah S. Church against Albert T. Church and Angie Foster Church.

The demurrer to the first complaint was sustained, but the persistent mother still pressed the case.

Mrs. Church seeks to annul the marriage of her young son who married without consent, but the demurrer filed to-day denies her right to interfere in the matter, and says the court has no jurisdiction over it.

# FREEMAN ORDERED TO APPEAR IN COURT.

Judge Greene has issued a citation to Thomas B. Freeman ordering him to appear in court and show why he has not paid to his divorced wife the $20 a month alimony as ordered by the court. One hundred and ninety-four dollars and fifteen cents is now due on this account.

# GERTRUDE JONES KINDLES A FIRE.

## Her Allegations Lead to Charges of Perjury and Libel.

The answer filed by Mrs. Gertrude K. Jones to the suit brought against her by Attorney George H. Francoeur last week in the Superior Court of this county is breeding trouble in San Francisco. Francoeur yesterday appeared before Judge Mogan and preferred a charge of perjury against Mrs. Jones, and Attorney Beatty swore to a complaint of libel against Joseph Hutchinson, Mrs. Jones' attorney.

The allegations that are declared to be false are chiefly in connection with a conspiracy between Francouer, Jones and Beatty to obtain money from Mrs. Jones for the purpose of hushing their criminal connection with the death of Annie Johnson in 1897. It is maintained that Hutchinson drew up the complaint for divorce knowing the allegations therein to be false and is now under arrest.

# OFFICIAL RECORDS.

TUESDAY, JUNE 14, 1898.

DEEDS.

May 24, 98—Thos and Delia T O'Donnell to Kilian Messmer, E Okd, lots 1 to 8 blk D, New Town of Lynn, $10.

May 7, 98—S F Savings Union to Geo K Holloway, Bkly, lot 16 blk 11, Amended Map Central Park, Alcatraz and Newbury Station, $10.

June 1, 98—C B Stone to Henry Warnholz, Bklyn Tp, lots 1 to 17 blk 2, Jessen tract, $10.

June 13, 98—A E Shaw and Elmhurst Land Co to David Ratner, Bklyn Tp, lots 56 and 57 Elmhurst Park, $10.

June 14, 98—Maria L Clarke to Lee E Andrews, Okd, N Isabella st 400 W San Pablo av W 25 x N 189.2¼ being ptn Gunn tract, $10.

April 2, 98—Charles Keller to Katherine D Keller, Okd, lot 24 blk 658-A Golden Gate Hd, gift.

June 13, 98—Walter F and Margaret W Lewis to The Realty Syndicate, E Okd, 5.255 acres beg at a pt 92 lks on a course SE from NE cor tract of land described in a contract from John B Watson to Okd Real Estate Assn dated Jan 20, 68 and recorded in 29 d 504, th N1 6.70 chs to center of creek in Indian Gulch th to a pt where it is intersected by a line drawn on a course NE from another pt 7.85 chs on a course NW from pt of beg th SW 6.46 chs to the aforesaid pt distant 7.85 chs on a course NW from pt of beg th SE 7.85 chs to beg, QCD, $1.

May 4, 98—Robert and Anna Carroll to Union Savings Bank, E Okd, N 4th av 81 W Newton av N 117.3 W 89 W 59 S 125 E 124 to beg blk C, Peralta Hts, $10.

May 31, 98—W M and M E Watson and Louise F O'Brien to Thos C Landregan, Okd Tp, lot 7 blk 3, lots 5 to 9 blk 9, lots 6, 7, and 8 blk 10, lots 7 and 8 blk 17, Landregan tract, $10.

June 14, 98—Geo M Sheldon to Daniel McGlone, Bkly, NW Harper and Woolsey sts N 135.5 x W 122.4 being lots 4 to 7 blk 6, Central Park tract, $10.

Dec 8, 97—F K and Rosa M Shattuck to E Q and E S Turner, Bkly, N Bancroft Way 723.11 W Shattuck av N 135 E 10 S 135 to beg being ptn Plot 68 Ro V and D Peralta, $10.

June 14, 98—A C and Ellen C Anderson to Caroline B Gifford, Ala, S Briggs av 700 E High st E 50 x S 203 being lot 31 Briggs tract, $10.

June 14, 98—Chas F and Agnes L Fischer to Alvildia J Rough, Ala, lots 19 and 20 blk B Fitch tract, $10.

PROBATE.

5,121—June 3, 98—Est George H Stein, decree distribution to Henry Stein, S University av 45 E 8th st E 59 S 100 E 25.9% S 50 W 84.9% N 150 to beg, Bkly.

DECREE.

14,523—June 9, 98—Maria M Rose vs Thos de R Coelho, decree quieting title to pltff—Parcel of land bnded N and heirs of Valpey and W by Co road Warm Springs to San Jose, Wash Tp.

MORTGAGES.

June 8, 1898—Harry L. Holcomb to Charlotte Sahlmann, Bklyn Tp, Lots 4, 6 and 7 blk D, Latham Terrace, $2,000.

June 4, 1898—Manuel L. & Anna B. Graves to Bank of Livermore, Mur'y Tp, Lots 11 and 12 blk 6, Town of Livermore, June 1, 1899, 10 per cent, $250.

July 21, 1897—Lorinda C. & Carrie Harmon to Hugh Hogan, E Okd, E Kennedy st 110 N Denison st N 30 x E 100 blk A, Shell Mound tct, 8 per cent, $1000.

June 13, 1898—Jas. W. Whearty to Geo. U. Hind, Ala, NW Railroad av and Bay st W 125 x N 50 blk K, Taylor & Page tct, 8 per cent, $600.

May 10, 1898—Emma L. Bittermann to Continental B. & L. Assn, Bkly, W Lorina st 100 N Ashby av N 40 x W 110 blk C, Adeline tct, 7 years 6 per cent, $1800.

Apr. 15, 1898—Charlotte A. French to Central Bank of Oakland, Okd, N 9th st 150 W Kirkham st W 25 x N 100, cons. for money advanced.

Mar. 31, 1898—G. W. Langan to Bank of Livermore, Mur'y Tp, 11½ acres beg at a pt 36.13 chs S from NW cor plot 22, Bernal ptn Ro El Valle de San Jose th E 67.14 chs S 1.26 chs NW 68 chs NE 2.93 chs to beg; The W ½ lot 3 blk 3, McLeod tct, Town of Livermore, Apr. 1, 1899, 8 per cent, $1650.

June 14, 1898—M. J. & Filomena da Rosa to Frank G. Vieira, Eden Tp, 5 acres beg at fence post at NW cor 89.98 acre tct of Suza by deed of Nov. 18, 1880, th NE 10.72 chs SE 4.67 chs SW 10.72 chs NW 4.67 chs to beg, being ptn Ro San Lorenzo; right of way 10 ft wide leading from above-described ld to Kelly st, 7½ per cent, $700.

Apr. 13, 1898—W. M. Evans to Mary A. Barber, Okd Anx, Lot 31 blk C, Gaskill tct, 6 mos 1 per cent per mo, $120.

June 14, 1898—Margt Dougery to N. M. Linekin, Bkly, S Channing way 300 W Fulton st W 50 x S 135 blk 3, Ppty College Hd Assn, 1 year 9 per cent, $450.

June 14, 1898—Caroline B. Gifford to V. C. Anderson, Ala, S Briggs av 700 E High st E 50 x S 203, being ptn Briggs tct, 1 year 8 per cent, $444.

June 14, 1898—Thos. C. & Carrie B. Landregan to Louise F. O'Brien, Okd Tp, Lot 7 blk 3, Lots 5 to 9 blk 9; lots 6, 7, and 8 blk 10; lots 7 and 8 blk 17, Landregan tct, 1 year 9 per cent, $963.

DEEDS OF TRUST.

June 11, 1898—Franz Kitz to W. C. & H. N. Peters trs for Wm. Peters, Ala, SW Buena Vista av and Walnut st S 100 x W 50, $1550.

June 13, 1898—Thos. R. & Mary B. O'Connor to H. Sevening & J. E. Baker trs Alameda Savings Bank, Ala, NE Briggs av 500 SE High st SE 50 x NE 203, being ptn Briggs tct, $500.

May 23, 1898—Kilian Messmer to R. J. McMullen & W. D. Moody trs, Okd Loan & Invest. Co., E Okd, Lots 1 to 8 blk D, New Town of Lynn, $1000.

June 7, 1898—Marie L. Leist to J. West Martin & Wm. G. Henshaw trs Union Savings Bank, E Okd, SE 13th av 100 SW E-24th st SW 26 x SE 120 blk 141, Clinton, $700.

June 14, 1898—Leopold Engelke to Same, Bklyn Tp, Lot 13, Map of Ids Bklyn Land Co., $1200.

June 13, 1898—The Realty Syndicate to Same, E Okd, 5,255 acres as in deed from Walter F. and Margaret W. Lewis, $3500.

June 14, 1898—Max Glas to Same, Ala, W Pearl st 250 S Central av S 50 x W 272 blk 10, Hays & Caperton ppty, $1500.

RELEASES.

June 11, 1898—Wm. Peters to Franz & Elise Kitz, Ala, 428 m 28, SW Buena Vista av and Walnut st S 100 x W 50 blk 25, Ids adjct to Encinal, $600.

June 14, 1898—Oakland Loan & Invest Co. to V. R. & J. A. Parker, Bklyn Tp, 499 m 255, Lot 6 blk D, Latham Terrace, $2000.

Marginal—M. J. Drias to Rebecca Stewart, Okd Anx, 502 m 190, Lot 5, Ports tct, $250.

Marginal—Delia T. O'Donnell to K. Messmer, E Okd, 403 m 57, Lots 1 to 8 blk D, New Town of Lynn, $1000.

June 14, 1898—Berkeley Bank of Savings to Martha J. Bailey, Bkly, 519 m 238, Lots 4 to 7 blk 6, Central Park tct, partial, $450.

June 6, 1898—Oakland Bank of Savings to Geo. T. Hawley & R. B. Snell, Bklyn Tp, 456 m 157, Lot 21 blk E, Buenaventura tct, partial.

HOMESTEADS.

June 14, 1898—Hans Peterson, declaration, S 10th 60-3 E Center st E 57 x S 40 blk 552, Okd, $2,000.

June 14, 1898—Barbara Page wf Chas, declaration, lot 5 blk 28, Beaudry and Peladeau ppty, Okd Tp, $1,800.

ATTACHMENTS.

17,554—June 14, 1898—John Stewart vs. B. J. Davis, W Grove st 32 N Park st N 18 x W 90 blk 2,024, Okd, $273. Writ issued from Justice's Court Okd Tp.

TRANSCRIPT OF JUDGMENT.

May 31, 1898—Clyde N. Browne vs. Jos. M. Santos, for pltff from Justice's Court San Rafael Tp, $79.

NOTICE TO REDEEM.

June 7, 1898—S. F. Sinclair to W. N. Russell, before July 14, 1898, the E ½ lot 9 blk D, Klinknerville tract, Okd Tp, $9.

June 7, 1898—Same to same, same, same, $5.

RELEASE OF JUDGMENT.

Aug. 25, 1897—John P. Timm to C. A. Conger et al., from Justice's Court Okd Tp, in E Trans of Judg 60——$20.

LIS PENDENS.

15,226—June 14, 1898—Hibernia S. & L. Sooy vs. Jas. A. Waymire et al., to foreclose 531 m 64, NW Buena Vista av and Walnut st W 225 x N 600 being ptn blks 26 and 27, Ids adjct to Encinal, Ala, $15,900.

15,227—June 14, 1898—Andrew Dalziel vs. P. R. Borein et al., to foreclose 502 m 339, NE 11th and Alice sts N 60 x E 75 blk 163, Okd, $2,600.

CHATTEL MORTGAGES.

May 14, 1898—The Cal. Stove and Iron Works (a cptn) to Laura S. Harvey, rerecord of Z pp m 385, personal ppty at 664 and 666 Washington st and 471, 473, 475 and 477 3d st, Okd, 3 years 8 per cent, $516.

BUILDERS' CONTRACTS.

June 13, 1898—C. H. King owner with C. Christensen contractor, architect Walter J. Matthews, all work for two 2-story dwelling houses on N E-16th st 145 W 6th av N 110 x 95, E Okd. ¼ of work completed $1,030; ⅝ same $1,030; ⅝ same, $1,030; ⅝ same $1,030; all completed $1,030; 35 days after $1,717. Total $6,867. Bonds $1,716, N. Gilberg and H. C. Hermansen sureties. Limit 100 working days; forfeit $20 per day. Plans and spec filed.

June 13, 1898—John Hartz owner with Robt. McBeth contractor, architect Chas. Mau. All work except sewer work for a 1-story frame bldg on SW San Pablo and Mead avs W 100 x S 30.7, Okd. Frame up $262.50; enclosed and brown coated $262.50; completed $262.50; usual 35 days after $262.50. Total $1,060. Bonds $275, C. E. Clauson and John F. Towle sureties. Limit 60 working days; forfeit none. Plans and spec filed.

June 13, 1898—Jane Birdsall owner with B. C. Allyn contractor, architects Cunningham Bros. Excavating, concrete, brick and carpenter work, plastering, electrical work and plumbing for a 1½-story frame dwelling on lot 15 Hillegass ppty, Bkly. Frame up, roof sheathed and chimneys built $595.50; enclosed, walls and roof shingled and 1st coat plaster on $594; completed $594; usual 35 days $595. Total $2,378.50. Bonds $595. Jas. Pennycook and Samuel Sorensen sureties. Limit 80 working days; forfeit $3 per day. Plans and spec filed.

ABSTRACT OF JUDGMENT.

7,439—June 14, 1898—B. McGinnis vs. Josiah and F. S. Sessions, from Justice's Court, Okd, $127.

LIEN.

June 13, 1898—Jos. Reinhardt vs. J. P. and Mary L. De Camp, lot 17, Hamilton tract, Okd, $65.

SUPERIOR COURT ACTIONS.

15,226—Department 1—Hibernia S. & L. Socy vs. Jas. A. Waymire et al., as in lis pendens, $15,900. Tobin & Tobin.

15,227—Department 2—Andrew Dalziel vs. P. R. Borein et al., as in lis pendens, $2,600. J. B. Richardson.

COMMISSIONERS' SALES.

June 20, 1898—Calvin Wyman vs. Addie Turner et al., lot 1 contg 10.501 acres being ptn plot 40, Ro El Valle de San Jose (Hardin estate), Murray Tp. At 10 A. M. in front of Court House.

June 28, 1898—Mary A. Ryan vs. Jens Chr Christensen et al., lots A-3 and A-4, map of lots 4 and 5 blk A, J. E. McElrath tract, Okd Anx. At 10 A. M. in front of Court House.

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FEEDSTUFFS—Rolled barley, $25.50@26 oilcake at the mill, $31@31.50; jobbing, $32@32.50; cocoanut cake, $24@25; cottonseed meal, $28@30 per ton; cornmeal, $24.50; cracked corn, $25.

BRAN—$16@17 per ton.

HAY—(Ex-car in round lots)—Wheat, $19@22.50; wheat and oat, $19@31; oat, ——; barley, ——; compressed wheat, $21@21; compressed oat, $16@18; alfalfa, $12@13.50; clover, nominal.

NEW HAY—Wheat, wire bound, $17@19; island barley, $12@14.

STRAW—65@95c per bale.

BEANS AND SEEDS.

BEANS—Bayos, $2.90@3; small whites, $2@2.10; large whites, $1.90@2.05; pinks, $2.60@2.70; reds, $2.75; blackeye, $3.25@3.40; butters, $1.75@1.90; limas, $2.50@3; pea, $1.85@2; red kidneys, $2.65@2.75 per ctl.

SEEDS—Brown mustard, $2.25@2.50 per ctl; yellow mustard, $3.15@3.25; flax, $2.25; canary seed, 2¼@2¾c per lb; alfalfa, 3@6c; rape, 2¼@2¾c; hemp, 2¾@3c; timothy, 5@5¼c.

DRIED PEAS—Niles, $1.75@2; green, $2@2.10 per ctl.

POTATOES, ONIONS, VEGETABLES.

POTATOES—Old burbanks, 30@60c per sack; Oregon burbanks, 40@80c; new potatoes, 35@50c for early rose and 50@75c for burbanks, in boxes.

ONIONS—New, 50@65c per ctl for red and 75@85c for yellow.

VEGETABLES—Asparagus, $1.75@2 for extra large, 75c@$1.25 per box for No. 1; 25@75c for small; rhubarb, 50c@$1 per box; green peas, $1@1.50 per sack; string beans, 3@6c; horse beans, 40@50c per sack; summer squash, 75c@$1 per box; dried peppers, 8@7c per lb; dried okra, 12½c; cabbage, 50@60c per ctl; carrots, 20@50c per sack; garlic, 5c per lb; cucumbers, 50@85c per box; Vacaville tomatoes, $1.50@2 per box.

EVAPORATED VEGETABLES—Potatoes, sliced, raw, 12c per lb in lots of 25 lbs; sliced dessicated, 16@18c; granulated raw, 18c; onions, 60c; carrots, old, 13c; new, 18c; cabbage, 30c; sweet potatoes, 30c; turnips, 25c; string beans, 30c; tomatoes, 50c.

POULTRY AND GAME.

POULTRY—Live turkeys, 10@11c for gobblers and 10@11c for hens; geese, per pair, 75c@$1; goslings, $1@1.25; ducks, $3@3.50 for old and $3@4.50 for young; hens, $3 50@4.50; roosters, young, 6@9; roosters, old, $3.75@4.50; fryers, $4.50@5.50; broilers, $4@5 for large and $2@3.50 for small; pigeons, $1.25@1.50 per dozen for young and $1 for old.

GAME—Nominal.

BUTTER, CHEESE AND EGGS.

BUTTER—Creamery—Fancy Creameries, 18@19c; seconds, 17½@18c.

Dairy—Choice to fancy, 16½@17½c; second grades, 15@16c per lb.

Eastern Butter—Imitation creamery, 15@16½c; ladle packed, 15@16c per lb.

CHEESE—Choice mild new, 9c; Cream Cheddar, 10@11c; Young America, 9@10c; Eastern, 12@13c per lb.

EGGS—Ranch eggs, 16@18c per dozen; store eggs, 14@15c; duck eggs, 16c.

DECIDUOUS AND CITRUS FRUITS.

DECIDUOUS FRUITS—Strawberries, $2@5 per chest for large and $6@9 for small berries; apples, 40@50c per box for common, 50c@$1.50 for good to choice and 30@40c per basket; white cherries, 20@30c per lb for black; block, 35@50c; currants, $2@3.50 per chest; blackberries, 85@90c crate; plums, 40@60c per crate and 25@50c per box; apricots, 35@60c per box and 50@75c per crate for royals; peaches, 25@75c per box and —— per basket; gooseberries, 1@2c per lb for common and 4@5c for English.

CITRUS FRUITS—Navel oranges, $2.50@3.25; seedlings, 75c@$1.25; lemons, 50c@$1 for common and $1.25@2 for good to choice; Mexican limes, $3.50@4; California limes, in small boxes, 40@50c; bananas, $1.25@2 per bunch; pineapples, $3@4 per dozen.

PROVISIONS.

CURED MEATS—Bacon—9c per lb for heavy, 9½c for light medium, 10c for light, 11c for extra light and 12@12½c for sugar cured; Eastern sugar cured hams, 10¼@11c; California hams, 9½@10c; mess beef, $10.50 per bbl; extra mess beef, $11; family beef, $11@12; salt pork, $9; extra prime pork, $10; extra clear, $17@17.50; mess, $15; smoked beef, 12c per lb.

LARD—Eastern tierces quoted at 6c per lb for compound and 8½c for pure; pails, 9¼c; California tierces, 5½c per lb for compound and 7½c for pure; half barrels, 7¾c; 10 lb tins, 8¼c; 5 lb tins, 8¾c.

COTTOLENE—Tierces, 6¾@7¼c, packages, less than 300 lbs—1 lb pails, 60 in a case, 9½c; 3 lb pails, 20 in a case, 8¾c; 5 lb pails, 12 in a case, 8½c; 10 lb pails, 6 in a case, 8⅝c; 50 lb tins, 1 or 2 in a case, 7⅝c; wooden buckets, 20 lbs net, 8½c; fancy tubs, 80 lbs net, 7⅝c; half barrels, about 110 lbs, 7½c per lb.

SAN FRANCISCO MEAT MARKET.

BEEF—First quality, 6½c; second quality, 5½c; third quality, 4@5c per lb.

VEAL—Large, 4@5c; small, 6@7c per lb.

MUTTON—Wethers, 7½@8c; ewes, 7@7½c per lb.

LAMB—Spring, 8@8½c per lb.

PORK—Live hogs, 4¾c for large and 5@5½c for medium; stock hogs, 2@3c; dressed hogs, 6@8c.

GENERAL MERCHANDISE.

BAGS—Calcutta grain bags, nominal; wool bags, nominal; San Quentin, $4.85. shell and 8½@9c for paper-shell; peanuts, 4@5½c for Eastern and 4½c for California; 3@4c for hardshell and 4@6c for softshell; almonds, 3@4c for hardshell, 6@7c for soft.

COAL—Wellington, $8 per ton; new Wellington, $8; Southfield Wellington, $7.50; Seattle, $6; Bryant, $6; Coos Bay, $5; Wallsend, $7.50; Scotch, $10; Cumberland, $10.25 in bulk and $11.50 in sacks; Pennsylvania anthracite egg, $14; Cannel, $10 per ton; Rock Springs, Castle Gate and Pleasant Valley, $7.60; coke, $12 per ton in bulk and $14 in sacks.

SUGAR—The Western Sugar Refinery fine crushed, 7c; powdered, 6½c; dry granulated, 5⅞c; confectioners' A, 5⅞c; magnolia A, 5⅝c; extra C, 5¼c; golden C, 5⅛c per lb; half bbls ¼c more than bbls, 5c; candy granulated, 5⅞c; California A, and boxes ½c more.

DRIED FRUITS, NUTS, RAISINS, ETC.

DRIED FRUITS—Prunes, carload lots, 4¾@5c for 40-50's, 4¼@4½c for 50-60's, 3¾@4c for 60-70's, 2½@3c for 70-80's; 2@2½c for 80-90's, 1¾@2c for 90-100's; peaches, 3@5c; fancy, 5½@6c; peeled, 10@12½c; apricots, 5@6½c for royals and 7@8c for good to fancy moorparks; evaporated apples, 7½@8c; sun-dried, 4½@5c; black figs in sacks, 2@2½c; plums, 4½@4¾c for pitted and 1¼@1½c for unpitted; bleached plums, 5@5½c; nectarines, 4@5c for prime to fancy; pears, 2½@4½c for quarters and 3@5½c for halves, according to color, etc.

NUTS—Chestnuts, 8c per lb; walnuts, 3@4c for hardshell, 4@6c for softshell; pecans, 5½@8c; filberts, 9½@10c; Brazil nuts, 8@9c per lb; cocoanuts, $4.50@5 per 100.

RAISINS—1½@2c for two crown, 3c for three crown, 3½c for four crown, 4½c for seedless sultanas, 2¾c for seedless muscatels and $1@1.10 for London layers; dried grapes, 2½c.

HONEY—Comb, 9@10c for bright and 6@7c for lower grades; water white extracted, 5½@6c; light amber extracted, 4¾@5½c per lb.

BEESWAX—24@26c per lb.

HIDES, TALLOW, WOOL AND HOPS.

HIDES AND SKINS—Heavy salted steers, 10@10½c; medium, 9@9½c; light, 15@16c; dry calf, 18@20c; culls, 16@17c; and brands, 13@13½c; dry kip and veal, goatskins, 30@37½c each; kids, 5@10c; deerskins, good summer, 25@30c per lb; medium, 20c; winter, 10c; sheepskins, shearings, 25@30c each; short wool, 40@70c each; medium, 60@80c; long wools, 90c@$1.20 each.

TALLOW—No. 1 rendered, 3@3½c per lb; No. 2, 2@2½c; refined, 4½@4¾c; grease, 2c.

WOOL—Fall clip—San Joaquin, defective, 7@9; southern mountain, 9@11; free northern, 17@18.

HOPS—1897 crop, 9@12½c per lb.

## The Narrow Gauge Market.

The Narrow Gauge Meat Market, Garner & Son, prop'rs, sell prime meats below down-town prices, and invite the patronage of contiguous residents. Cor. Webster and Ninth streets.

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Is a resort for gentlemen. There are sandwiches, frankfurters and any sort of lunch to order, with a surety of nice association. Bandle & Sonderleiter, props. Ninth st. near Washington.

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## Cutter's Place

Is cool, restful and a rendezvous for old friends and good liquors. 473 Ninth street.

## Allen's Press Clipping Bureau,

510 Montgomery street, S. F. Established 1888. Furnishes newspaper clippings and information on all topics, business and personal.

## For Sale.

All kinds of household articles must be sold. 408 Eleventh st., H. Schellhaas' old store.

For fine old Kentucky bourbon and rye whisky, brandies and wines, go to Theo. Gier Co., 513-515 Fourteenth street.

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Did not use Sperry's Flour.

James E. Pepper, a celebrated whisky, on sale by E. F. Thayer, 404 Eighth street.

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Northeast corner Tenth and Broadway.

Capital stock paid up..................$300,000

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Principal Correspondents—San Francisco, First National Bank, London, Paris and American Bank L'd, and Bank of California; New York, National Park Bank; Chicago, American Exchange National Bank.

# Union National Bank of Oakland

Location, N. W. cor. of Broadway and Twelfth St.

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Exchange—Domestic and Foreign at current rates.

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Funds deposited with correspondents paid here.

# Oakland Bank of Savings

Cor. Broadway and 12th St.

INCORPORATED 1867.

Authorized Capital..................$1,000,000 00
Capital Paid in..................450,000 00
Reserve and Contingent Fund... 157,839 84
Deposits Dec. 31, 1897..................5,210,540 76

OFFICERS.

ISAAC L. REQUA..................President
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General banking business transacted; interest allowed on term deposits; loans on real estate and approved collateral at lowest market rates.

PRINCIPAL CORRESPONDENTS.
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Interest paid on deposits.
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# CALIFORNIA BANK.

Masonic Temple Building, Corner Twelfth and Washington Streets, Oakland.

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Transacts a general banking business. Foreign and Domestic Exchange bought and sold. Correspondence solicited. Special attention paid to the execution of trusts for individuals, firms and corporations.

Correspondents—American Exchange National Bank, New York, and Bank of California, S. F.

# Union Savings Bank

CORNER BROADWAY AND NINTH ST.

Transacts a General SAVINGS and COMMERCIAL Business.

Capital Fully Paid, $ 300,000 00
Reserve Fund, - - 100,000 00

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

J. West Martin, William G. Henshaw, Thos. Prather, R. S. Farrelly, A. A. Moore, C. E. Palmer, H. W. Meek, Herman A. Tubbs, Thos. Crellin, Shelby F. Martin, F. W. Henshaw.

J. WEST MARTIN..................President
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Exchange on Foreign and Eastern cities. Interest allowed on all savings deposits remaining three calendar months.
No entrance fee.
Remittances from the country may be made by express or checks on banks in San Francisco, and books will be returned.

# Central Bank

Broadway and 14th St.

OAKLAND, CAL.

Authorized capital ..................$1,000,000
Capital fully paid up.................. 300,000
Surplus and undivided profits...... 75,000

THOMAS CRELLIN..................President
W. G. PALMANTEER. ....Vice President
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J. W. HAVENS..................Asst. Cashier

DIRECTORS.

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FAMILY TRADE A SPECIALTY
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# Notice to Voters.

## REGISTRATION.

Office of the County Clerk of Alameda County, Cal.

Notice is hereby given that all citizens whose names are not now on the Great Register of Alameda county are requested to register in order to be entitled to vote at the next general election in November, 1898.

That owing to failure of the Governor to approve the act unanimously pushed by both branches of the last Legislature providing assistance for Clerk it is necessary to begin registration at an early date in order to satisfactorily attend to registration.

That voters who have since the date of the last general election taken up their residence in Alameda county, and those who since that date have removed from precinct in which their name appears on Great Register, must make affidavit in order to have their names placed on Register of precinct in which they now reside.

That it is NOT necessary for voters who registered for the general election of 1896 and whose names appear on the Great Register of 1896 to again make affidavit for registration UNLESS SINCE THE DATE OF LAST REGISTRATION THEY HAVE CHANGED THEIR PLACE OF RESIDENCE.

That registration will continue to and including August 9th, 1898, after which it will cease.

Attention is called to the provisions of Section 1083, which provides that those "who shall have been a resident of the State ONE YEAR next preceding the election, and of the county in which they claim their vote NINETY DAYS, and in the election precinct THIRTY days" are entitled to registration.

Further notice is hereby given that affidavit for registration or transfer may be sworn to before any Deputy County Clerk in the different towns and precincts of the county, or before any Deputy County Assessor, without charge.

Affidavits can also be sworn to before any Justice of the Peace or Notary Public.

Notice is given that after the filing of affidavits, OTHER THAN FOR THE PURPOSES OF TRANSFER, when names are ENTERED on Great Register, postal cards will be sent giving date of entry. If postal is not received, voters should ascertain the reason why.

The office of the County Clerk in the Hall of Records will be, until further notice, open for registration from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. of each day.

Dated April 4, 1898.

FRANK C. JORDAN,
County Clerk.
(Seal)

# Notice to Architects.

The Board of Trustees of the Fruitvale School District invite competitive plans and specifications for erection of an eight room school house on the school site on Fruitvale avenue and Tallant street, to cost not to exceed $9,000. Frame to be complete, and four rooms only on first floor to be finished.

Basement 8 feet in the clear. All drawings to be made in pen and ink, a scale of ⅛ inch to the foot and as follows:

Basement and first story plans four elevations, one section and one perspective.

Further information may be obtained from E. E. Hunt, Clerk of the Board, at Fruitvale avenue, Fruitvale, Alameda county, Cal.

Plans and specifications with estimate must be delivered on or before June 20th, seven o'clock P. M.

The Trustees reserve the right to reject any or all plans.

E. E. HUNT,
ROBT. B. BAIN,
FRANK HARROLD,
Trustees.

# NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS AND BUILDERS.

Bids will be received for the construction of an eight room school house in Bray School District, county of Alameda. Plans and specifications to be had at the office of D. F. Oliver, architect, room 59, Macdonough building, Oakland (Broadway and Fourteenth street).

Bids to be opened at the residence of W. M. Axtell, Clerk of Board of Trustees of Bray School District, P. O. address Fruitvale, Cal. Bids to be opened on June 20th at 6 o'clock P. M. Ten per cent of bid must accompany all bids. Trustees reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

WALTER M. AXTELL,
WM. M. GALLOWAY,
JOHN K. JEFFRESS,
Trustees.

# PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING SUPPLIES.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Directors of Industrial Home of Mechanical Trades for the Adult Blind, of the State of California, will receive and open proposals and let contracts for supplying the Home for the coming year, commencing July 1st, 1898, and ending June, 30th, 1899, with the following articles:

1—Broomcorn, wire, twine, handles, etc. 2—Beef and mutton. 3—Groceries and provisions. 4—Coal. 5—Flour and millstuffs. 6—Coffee, tea and chicory. 7—Conducting funerals.

Bids will be opened on Thursday, June 30th, 1898, at 7:30 P. M., at the Home, corner Thirty-sixth street and Telegraph avenue, Oakland, Cal.

Blank forms with schedules of supplies required, with conditions, etc., can be had upon application to the Superintendent, J. C. Hays, at the Home.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Preference will be given to goods manufactured in California, prices and quality considered.

All bidders for furnishing supplies are invited to be present at the opening of the bids.

By order of the Board of Directors.
H. R. HAVENS, Secretary.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Caleb Sadler, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, executrix of the will of Caleb Sadler, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within ten months after the first publication of this notice, to the said executrix, at the office of the executrix, at No. 1323 Hearst avenue, Berkeley, Alameda county, California, which said office the undersigned selects as her place of business in all matters connected with said estate of Caleb Sadler, deceased.

LYDIA B. SADLER,
Executrix of the will of Caleb Sadler, deceased.

Dated, Oakland, June 1st, 1898.

HAVEN & HAVEN, Call Building, San Francisco, Attorneys for said Executrix.

# THE PIONEER FRENCH BAKERY

M. & J. LONGE, Proprietors.

N. E. Corner Tenth and Webster Streets, OAKLAND, CAL.

First quality French bread delivered to all parts of Oakland, Berkeley and Alameda. Loaves made to order for camping parties. French rolls made to order.

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# ASSESSOR'S Notice to Taxpayers!

## ALSO POLL TAX NOTICE.

Oakland, March 7th, 1898.

All Persons, Firms, Companies, Corporations and Associations are required to deliver at the Assessor's office, at the Court House, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, on or before March 21st, 1898, a statement under oath, of all the property, both real and personal, owned or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridian on the

## First Monday of March, 1898,

In accordance with Sec. 3629, Political Code.

Every person who refuses or neglects to furnish the statement as provided for in Section 3629, Political Code, becomes liable to a fine of one hundred dollars and the value fixed by the Assessor on their property must not be reduced by the Board of Equalization.

All persons owning real estate that has been assessed in the wrong name or errors have appeared on their tax bills, are requested to call at the Assessor's office or notify the Assessor by mail on or before March 21st, 1898, so that the proper corrections may be made on the assessment roll for the year 1898.

Assessment blanks may be obtained at the Assessor's office, room one, Court House, or from any Deputy Assessor.

## Poll Tax Must Be Paid on Demand.

Notice is hereby given that the State Poll Tax of two dollars for the year 1898 is now due and payable at my office, Room one, Court House, or to a Deputy Assessor.

Sec. 3839 of the Political Code reads as follows:

Every male inhabitant of the State over twenty-one and under sixty years of age, except paupers, insane persons and Indians, must annually pay a Poll Tax of two dollars, provided the same be paid between the

## First Monday in March and the First Monday in July,

then it shall be three dollars.

Sec. 3846 of the Political Code makes it the duty of the Assessor to "demand Poll Tax of every person liable therefor, and on the neglect or refusal of such person to pay, he must collect by seizure and sale of any personal property owned by such person."

Under Sections 429 to 435 every person who refuses to give his own name or the name of any person in his employ, or who in any manner obstructs the Assessor or any of his deputies in the collection of the State Poll Tax, is guilty of a misdemeanor, and liable to a fine of $500 or imprisonment in the County Jail, or both such fine and imprisonment.

Only those persons under twenty-one or over sixty years of age are exempt. Poll tax must be paid on demand.

HENRY P. DALTON,
Assessor of Alameda County.
Oakland, California.

# PROPOSALS FOR SUPPLIES.

FOR THE County of Alameda, State of California. Required by the Various Departments of the County Government.

Sealed proposals will be received by the Board of Supervisors of Alameda county at the Board rooms in the annex to the Hall of Records in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, until 10 o'clock A. M. on

MONDAY, JUNE 27, 1897.

(at which time and place they will be opened in the presence of the bidders) for furnishing and delivering at such times and in such places and in such quantities as may be required, supplies for the Alameda County Infirmary, the various departments of the County Government, Hall of Records, at the County Jail and Receiving Hospital of the county of Alameda, consisting of fish, drugs and chemicals, stationery, wood and coal, groceries, provisions, etc., dry goods, clothing, etc., meats, etc., fruit and vegetables, from date of contract to June 30th, 1897, inclusive, as per specifications and provisions of schedules to be furnished by the Clerk of this Board, adopted by this Board June 13, 1898, and according to the conditions and requirements in such schedules contained.

The county of Alameda, through the Board of Supervisors, reserves the right to use in the several departments of the County Government greater or less quantities than enumerated in the proposals and schedules should the public interests so require, bids to be awarded to the person or persons whose bid is the lowest on any item or items.

The Board of Supervisors also in considering said bids reserves the right to accept or reject all or any of said bids or proposals should the public interest so require.

Samples of all staple articles are to be presented for examination by the Board of Supervisors at the Board room, the same to be properly marked with name of bidder and schedule number.

No bid will be considered unless made upon said schedules nor unless accompanied by certified check payable to the order of Frank C. Jordan, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, certified to by some responsible bank for an amount which shall not be less than 10 per cent of the aggregate amount of the proposal or proposals which it accompanies.

Said check to be forfeited to the county of Alameda, as agreed and liquidated damages, should the party or parties to whom the contract shall be awarded fail to enter into the contract within ten (10) days after the award or fail to give a bond required by the Board for the faithful performance of the contract.

Payment for all supplies will be made in the manner prescribed by Art. 21, Sec. 25, County Government Act of the Legislature of the State of California.

All bids must be enclosed in sealed envelopes, addressed to the Board of Supervisors of Alameda county, and be endorsed on the envelopes furnished by the Clerk, "Proposals for furnishing supplies for the county of Alameda; required by the various departments of the County Government," giving the general name and number as on the schedules or as otherwise provided in schedules.

Dated June 13, 1898.

J. R. TALCOTT,
Chairman Board of Supervisors Alameda county, California.
(Seal.) FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.

# Notice to Stockholders of the California Cotton Mills Company, a Corporation.

In accordance with a resolution of the Board of Directors of the California Cotton Mills Company, duly adopted at a regular meeting of said Board held on the 10th day of June, 1898, you are hereby notified that a special meeting of the stockholders of this corporation has been called by the Board of Directors and will be held on Friday, the 12th day of August, A. D. 1898, at the hour of three o'clock P. M. of said day, at the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, in the room of that certain building known as the factory building of this corporation, and in which room the Board of Directors of this corporation usually meet, and situate on the southwest corner of Railroad avenue and Valdez street, Oakland, California, being the principal place of business and office of this corporation, for the purpose of determining whether or not the capital stock of this corporation shall be increased from $600,000.00 to $800,000.00 for the purpose of providing additional capital for the proper conduct and management of the business of this corporation.

By order of the Board of Directors.

J. Y. MILLAR,
Secretary of California Cotton Mills Company, a corporation.

Office and principal place of business, factory building, southwest corner Railroad avenue and Valdez street, Oakland, California.

# MORE DELAY WILL OCCUR AT GUANTANAMO.

## It May Take Three Weeks to Land Shafter's Troops.

### Santiago Expected to Make a Long and Stubborn Resistance.

### ITS DEFENSES ARE FORMIDABLE.

### The Insurgents May be of Some Use in Distracting Spaniards' Attention.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, June 15.—A special from Washington to the Times says:

A full week has been used up at Tampa in getting the 15,000 men of the Santiago expedition afloat and presumably on the way to their destination. War Department people now talk with some concern about the handling of this force when it shall reach its Cuban destination. At Tampa there was a pier, or piers, up to which the ships were tied, while men and baggage were put aboard. A railroad brought the men, baggage and guns, provisions, tents and ammunition to the side of the ship, but with all these advantages it has taken a whole week to get the expedition away.

A well informed army officer says that the southern coast of Cuba is rough and difficult of approach at most points, and a good deal of the time the water is too rough for comfortable landing from vessels moored in the open road. The men, horses, baggage and provisions now on the transports must be lightered ashore, unless the Government expects to take a harbor well supplied with terminal facilities, which is not expected. To get the men ashore will be a simple matter, compared with the difficulty of landing animals and heavy equipments.

"It will not be a summer afternoon matter," said the officer. "The troops will be landed under cover of the guns of the fighting ships, if a hostile reception is accorded them. Their business will be to secure themselves against attack. Then the landing of their equipments will follow, and it is bound to be a tedious matter, as it will be done by the aid of lighters. It is probable that it will take not less than three weeks to land the expedition that was loaded on ship in nearly a week.

"After we have heard about the landing of this expedition we shall begin to understand why General Miles was opposed to sending out 60,000 men at once, before the War Department was satisfied that they had been properly drilled, seasoned and disciplined. With 60,000 men to ship at Tampa, the confusion and delay would have been increased. It is inevitable that there shall be some confusion at the Cuban end of the trip, and that confusion would have been possibly four times greater with three times that number of troops."

If it is definitely known whether General Shafter will land his forces in Guantanamo bay, the War Department does not communicate the information. It is suggested that the landing place may be much nearer to Santiago. The distance from Guantanamo to Santiago, which is something like thirty miles, is a prodigious one to be overcome by marching in a mountainous country without roads. The transports will be at hand, however. If it is determined to use Guantanamo as a base, and a movement of the troops could be made in a few days, barring the delays that have been found to be incidental to loading and unloading. A movement at Caimanara to send 10,000 or 15,000 men toward Santiago would, it is estimated, give the Spanish at Santiago about a week's notice to prepare for an assault.

There is no expectation that the land forces will begin operations at once to attempt to carry Santiago by assault and then to depend upon using the harbor after it has been countermined and the entrance cleared by blowing up the wreck of the Merrimac. The undertaking is considered as one too greatly dangerous to be accomplished in short order. Indeed, there are army men who look for a prolonged siege of Santiago and many desperate encounters between the troops of the United States and Spain before a definite result is reported. Still the capture may be a matter of briefer time than it is imagined by the War Department officials, and much will depend, it is admitted, upon the view obtained by General Shafter after he has seen the place and consulted with Admiral Sampson. That first consultation may destroy all the preconceived notions of the sanguine and the anxious at the War Department and the White House.

There is a stronger disposition now than heretofore to order the co-operation of the insurgents at Santiago. They have not yet made a very deep impression on the army, but it is admitted that they may possess many qualifications to render them invaluable allies in occupying the Spanish forces while the attack is being made by General Shafter and Admiral Sampson.


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## BOYS IN BLUE ARE BANQUETED.

### Woodmen of the World Give Them a Dance and Supper.

There was a dance at Loring Hall Monday evening in honor of the soldiers at Camp Merritt who are entitled to wear the emblem of the Woodmen of the World. The dance was given by Oakland Camp No. 94 and was a thoroughly enjoyable affair. The hall was prettily decorated with palms and flags and patriotic emblems.

Thos. M. Robinson acted as master of ceremonies. A. E. Bolton was introduced and made the welcoming address to the visiting soldiers. First Lieutenant W. F. Doertenbach of Valley Camp No. 29, Colorado, responded in behalf of the soldiers. Then the soldiers danced until half-past ten P. M., when they were invited to a banquet at Barnum's restaurant. Toasts were responded to by the following soldiers and civilians: Private Geo. R. Moyer, Company F, First Wyoming Volunteers; Private Chas. E. Black, Company A, First Washington Volunteers; Private Earnest Kirk, Company A, Twentieth Kansas Volunteers; Q. M. S. W. D. Gillespie, Company F, First Idaho Volunteers; Captain G. H. Preston, Company I, First Regiment Volunteer Infantry, Garnet Camp 105; First Lieutenant W. F. Doerbenbach, Company A, First Regiment Colorado Volunteer Infantry, Valley Camp No. 29; Second Lieutenant S. E. Thomas, Company A, First Regiment Colorado Volunteer Infantry, Pueblo Camp No. 2; Second Lieutenant J. M. Croft, Company I, First Montana Volunteers, Big Spring Camp No. 108; First Sergeant John A. Devlin Company C, Sixth Regiment California Volunteers, Fresno 160; Geo. W. Austin, J. H. Patton, I. I. Brak, A. R. Waters, A. E. Bolton J. C. Dunne Lieut. E. G. Hunt, Col. J. L. Lyon, Frank C. Jordan.

There were sixty-one soldiers present at the banquet The Oakland committees in charge of the affair were as follows:

Committee of arrangements—Geo. W. Austin, chairman; J. J. McConnell, S. H. Masters, H. J. Waters, J. H. Patton.

Floor director—A. L. Hamilton.

Floor committee—I. L. Cavasso, Dr. P. M. Parsons, J. E. Lagoria, F. L. Wedgewood.

Reception committee—Thos. M. Robinson, chairman; I. I. Boak, W. L. Boldt, A. E. Bolton, J. A. Brunje, J. C. Dunne, Dr. C. O. Edwards E. G. Hunt, Col. J. L. Lyon, Harry J. McKim, John Mitchell, Jas. S. Naismith, E. Neuebaumer, W. J. Puetz, E. T. Taylor, Paul T. Carroll.

## MANSE SETTLEMENT BROADENS ITS SCOPE.

### New Classes are Opened For the Summer Months.

The Manse Social Settlement in West Oakland has mapped out its summer work and instead of decreasing its force during the warm weather, its work will be increased.

Two additional residents have reinforced the faithful workers of the past year and some new lines of work have been inaugurated.

Aside from the usual class picnics and outings, a young citizens' club was recently formed. It is composed of working young men who will soon become voters. The club has taken up the study of electricity and Cuban and Spanish history for the summer.

The members evince great enthusiasm in the work and in becoming familiar with parliamentary law.

Sewing clubs will continue work giving a part of the summer term to work for the soldiers.

The kindergarten which is still in session will be replaced in July by play-ground and day nursery work for a limited number of children who will receive excellent care for three morning hours.

Lessons in vocal music are given to girls and the small library is open to eager young readers on Tuesday and Friday afternoons.

The most important feature of the new work, however, is the summer school in Lloyd conducted through July by the pioneers in this educational effort on the coast, Olcott Haskell and Howard L. Lunt, both well known among educators as men of University culture, and thorough training in the best Lloyd schols of this country and Europe.

## ELDERLY MAN STRICKEN DOWN.

An elderly gentleman was picked up yesterday afternoon at Seventeenth street and San Pablo avenue in an unconscious condition. He was taken to the Receiving Hospital where a scalp wound sustained by a fall was dressed.

The man persistently refused to give his name for record, and when the patrol conducted him back he asked merely to be left where he was found, and from there he would walk home.

It is probable that the old gentleman was stricken with apoplexy.

### State Christian Alliance.

The State Christian and Missionary Alliance is now in session at the First Congregational Church. This morning President A. B. Simpson of the National Alliance was the chief speaker. He was assisted by Revs. H. C. Stevens, Robertson, and Peck. To-night's session will be held in the Eight-avenue M. E. Church, East Oakland. "Divine Healing," and the "Second Coming of the Lord" will be the themes discussed. The business session will be held Thursday morning.

### Found at the Presidio.

Ted Sproalt, the Acme athlete who was missing, has been found. He was employed at Agard's grocery store and did not return after lunch last Thursday. It is now learned that he went to the Presidio and enlisted in a cavalry troop, being very anxious to go to Manila.

# GRANDEUR OF THE PARIS EXPOSITION.

## Reasons Why America Should Make an Exhibit.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, June 15.—Reference is made in a report by Thomas W. Cridler, Third Assistant Secretary of State, upon the Paris Exposition, to an inquiry by the Exposition authorities as to whether the Americans could furnish the electrical power to light the whole Exposition and run all the machinery. This would require 30,000 horse-power, he said. Mr. Cridler took the matter under advisement with a view to securing the opinion of electrical experts in the United States.

Mr. Cridler says there are two salient features in the general scheme of the Exposition. The first is its admirable situation in the center of Paris; the next the embellishment of that part of the Seine connecting the two extremities of the Exposition, which will recall to the visitor's mind a modern Venice, and which, by its splendor and magnificence, will contribute to surpass all previous Expositions in Paris. At one extremity the Trocadero and at the other the Champs Elysees will be connected by an immense maritime boulevard of decorative water craft spanned by four large bridges.

The space secured for the United States will be in the hall of general manufactures and household furnishing, 24,390 square feet; in the mines and metallurgy, 7,690 square feet; in the thread, textiles and wearing apparel, 13,003 square feet; in agricultural and fruit products, 18,508 square feet; education and liberal arts, 11,471 square feet; and chemical industry, 5,160 square feet.

Secretary Cridler, in concluding his report, devotes a chapter to a statement of the reason why the United States should not be dissuaded from a full and adequate representation at the Paris Exposition. He does not openly say so, but nevertheless makes it apparent from his report that he has reference to the threats made in some quarters that the United States would refrain from making an exhibit because of the prevalent idea of undue French sympathy with Spain.

On this point he says: "It would be unfortunate for commercial reasons were the United States to decline to make an adequate representation. Congress, in 1897, by accepting the invitation of France to participate, assumed an obligation to provide the requisite means, but, aside from such obligation, there are controlling reasons why the Government should be properly represented. The vast business interests of our country should be displayed advantageously in competition with those of all foreign lands. In this our merchants and manufacturers are concerned, and in proportion as they show the people of the earth, who will be congregated at Paris, how great are our raw products, our manufactures, and our inventions, will credit be reflected upon us as a Nation. The growing export trade of the United States would also gain by an exhibit, for if our goods are already gaining headway in Europe, a complete exhibit at Paris will deeply impress the commercial affairs of the world there to be assembled, and rebound immediately to the credit and lasting benefit of our foreign commerce."

Mr. Cridler asserts that the coming Exposition will surpass in beauty and grandeur any similar enterprise in the past, and says the United States should be widely represented. He closes with a recommendation that a permanent commission be immediately established.

# TAX ON TEA HURTS JAPAN.

## Regarded by her People as Discriminating Legislation.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, June 15.—The Japanese Minister, Mr. Toru Hoshi, talked in an informal way to-day on some of the recent phases of the war, as they relate to the interests of the United States and Japan.

Mr. Hoshi expressed special regret at the recent action of Congress in placing a duty of 10 cents per pound on tea. The effect of the law, he says, was comparatively small to other countries as against Japan, where trade in cheap teas would be hurt by a uniform tax.

Mr. Hoshi does not question the right of the United States to make its own scheme of international taxation, although he thinks a large tea tax will not be expedient at this time, when the United States is embarked in large enterprises in the Far East. The United States and Japan are on very intimate terms, and Mr. Hoshi feels that it would have been expedient for this Government to cultivate the friendly relations, both of sentiment and commerce, with Japan at the expense of revenue to be derived from taxing Japanese teas. While not so intended, the people of Japan will regard the duty as a discrimination on the part of the United States against Japan, as it will bear most heavily on that country.

Mr. Hoshi says that Japan has no longings toward the Philippines. On the contrary, he says the acquisition of the big island of Formosa, which China ceded to Japan after the late war, has given Japan quite enough colonial territory to develop. Already it has cost the Japanese Government enormous sums to lay cables connecting Japan with Formosa, to build roads and provide adequate military and naval defences for this new colony.

The return from this island has gone to private merchants and owners of lands, and none of this return has flowed to the Government. As a result the Government is spending far more than it has received or ever will receive from Formosa. This fact, he added, shows that there is no ground for the reports that Japan may be anxious to acquire the Philippines in case the United States sees fit to part with them.

# LEITER IS ONCE MORE ATTACHED.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, June 15.—The Sheriff has received another attachment against Joseph Letter of Chicago, in favor of Thames & Mersey, Marine Insurance Company, for $81,915. The attachment was granted by Justice Daly, of the Supreme Court.

# FOREIGN TRADE OF LAST MONTH.

## A Gratifying Increase in the Volume of Our Exports.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, June 15.—The comparative statement of the imports and exports for the month of May issued by the Bureau of Statistics shows:

Merchandise—Exports, domestic, $103,694,733; increase as compared with May, 1897, about $32,000,000; imports, $53,258,847, of which about 48 per cent is free of duty; decrease, about $23,000,000.

Gold—Exports, $409,157; decrease, about $9,300,000; imports, $13,119,383; increase, about $12,500,000.

Silver—Exports, $4,184,432; decrease, about $150,000; imports, $188,568; decrease, $250,000.

For the eleven months of the present fiscal year there was an increase of domestic merchandise exported as compared with the same period last year of $157,188,821, and a decrease of $42,732,583 in the imports of domestic merchandise. There was also a decrease in the exports of gold amounting to $17,633,644, and an increase of $31,223,775 in the amount of gold imported. The amount of silver exported decreased by over $5,000,000, and there was an increase of $62,583 in the silver imports.

## LOCAL POSTMASTERS' SALARIES ADJUSTED.

### Berkeley Receives an Increase and Alameda and Haywards are cut.

The First Assistant Postmaster has just issued a revised list of salaries for postmasters. Some are increased $100 and others reduced $100. The changes in California are:

Increases—Arcata, $1200; Azusa, $1100; Bakersfield, $2100; Berkeley, $2400; Escondido, $1400; Eureka, $2200; Grass Valley, $2000; Hanford, $1800; Healdsburg, $1700; Hollister, $1700; Jackson, $1600; Lodi, $1200; Long Beach, $1600; Los Angeles, $3600; Monterey, $1500; Nevada City, $2000; Oakdale, $1400; Porterville, $1600; Redding, $2000; Redlands, $2400; Salinas, $2000; Sanger, $1100; San Leandro, $1400; San Mateo, $1500; Santa Paula, $1500; Sausalito, $1100; Selma, $1500; Soldiers' Home, $1200; Sonoma, $1100; Sonora, $1700; Stockton, $2800; Vallejo, $2100; Ventura, $1800; Visalia, $2000; Yreka, $1700.

Decreases—Alameda, $2400; Angel's Camp, $1400; Colton, $1200; Coronado, $1400; Dixon, $1400; Haywards, $1500; Lincoln, $1100; Lompoc, $1200; Madera, $1400; Marysville, $2100; Pomona, $2200; Red Bluff, $1900; San Rafael, $1700.

### Portuguese Republicans.

The Portuguese Republicans have organized a club in North Oakland with a charter membership of thirty-five. The officers are: President, John M. Alves; first vice-president, Joseph Smith; second vice-president, Antonio Reis; secretary, J. P. Dias; treasurer, A. Phillips; guard, Antonio Coelho.


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# DOWNFALL OF THE FRENCH MINISTRY.

## The Resignation of the Cabinet Occurs Today.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

PARIS, June 15.—The Cabinet met this morning and reviewed the situation. Later, M. Meline handed President Faure the resignations of the whole cabinet, which the President accepted, while requesting the Ministers to continue the direction of affairs until their successors are named.

## INDIANS CRAZED BY RED WINE.

### Ambrose Richards of Irvington Seriously Injured by Red Men.

When he fully recovers from the effects of his recent visit to an Indian encampment, Ambrose Richards of Irvington will no doubt think twice before he looks upon the wine when it is red,—especially in such company.

Richards was out for a good time the other day and thinking an Indian encampment was the place to have it, armed himself with a jug of wine and proceeded thither with the intention of making himself popular.

After all this liquor had been absorbed his new-found friends had no further use for him and as he failed to take the hint a general row was soon in progress during which Richards fared badly, and when he did finally get away he carried a number of severe knife wounds as well as several bruises.

Two of the Indians have been placed under arrest and are now in durance vile at Niles.

# CROCKETT REFINERY IS NOW MORTGAGED.

## Issues One Million Dollars Worth of Gold Bonds.

The California Beet Sugar and Refining Company has mortgaged its property to the California Safe Deposit and Trust Company for $1,000,000, the document being recorded in San Francisco yesterday.

The property of the company is located at Crockett and the mortgage is made to secure the payment of 6 per cent gold bonds payable in fifteen years. It covers the refinery, factory, warehouses, wharves and machinery and was authorized at a meeting of the directors held April 18th.

# INQUIRY INTO MRS. SNYDER'S DEATH.

## Coroner's Jury Brings in a Verdict Fixing the Responsibility.

The railroad company was blamed for the death of Mrs. Anna L. Snyder, in the verdict rendered by the Coroner's jury last night.

The jurors were C. R. House, James Stephen, K. Ingraham, Jacob House, Charles Thompson, Rudolph Mulhaugh, E. L. Ely, George W. Brainard.

The most important testimony given was that of the conductor, M. Morris, and the brakeman, F. R. Wilkins. They both admitted that there were but two trainmen to take charge of the passengers entering and alighting from the train. When the train, under whose wheels Mrs. Snyder met her death, arrived at Golden Gate last Sunday, Conductor Morris was busy collecting fares and Brakeman Wilkins was left to handle the passengers alone. The gates to the opposite side of the train, it was learned, were unlocked at the time of the accident.

As she was being assisted away from the scene of the fatal accident, Mrs. Snyder said that she did not have time to alight from the platform.

The ante-mortem statement of Mrs. Snyder, which was sworn to before Attorney Aldrich, was not introduced at the inquest.

## R. H. DOWLING IS INDICTED.

### Surrenders Himself Into Custody On a Charge of Perjury.

As announced in last night's paper, Deputy Constable Richard H. Dowling is held to answer to two indictments by the Grand Jury.

The alleged crimes were committed in connection with the arrest of Ed Carr and James Ramsay. The indictments charge that Dowling falsely made oath to complaints which set forth that these men were arrested without the city limits of Oakland.

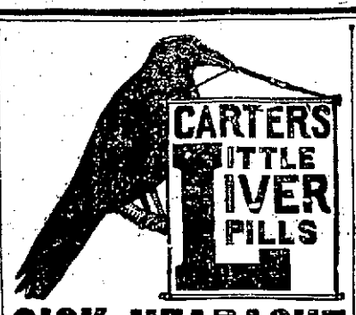
It is claimed that the evidence presented before the Grand Jury showed that Carr and Ramsay were taken at Sixteenth-street station, Oakland.

As soon as bench warrants were issued, Dowling surrendered himself into custody and was released upon bonds for $4,000 the sureties being Judge F. C. Clitt and James L. McCarthy. Attorney Nusbaumer will represent Dowling.

The Grand Jury after a long conference with their expert adjourned until next Tuesday.

### N. S. G. W. Installation.

Athens Parlor, N. S. G. W. will install its officers-elect early in July. The installation ceremonies will be followed by a banquet.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# NEVADA SOLDIERS ARRIVE AT THE MOLE.

## Cheered By big Crowds all the Way From Their Rendezvous.

A troop of eighty-four men, composing the First Nevada Volunteer cavalry arrived at the mole last night and crossed to Camp Merritt this morning.

These soldiers come direct from Cheyenne, Wyo., to which point they went to be mustered in on June 8th. Up on leaving the latter place, three days ago, they were given a rousing send-off by the citizens of the Wyoming metropolis. From that time on they had pleasant receptions all along the route. At Reno 2,000 people assembled at the station with lunches for the soldier boys. Since being mustered into the service of the Nation, the First Nevada Cavalry has eaten but two meals of Government rations, and arrived here with a wagon load of provisions furnished by patriotic contributors along the route.

## WOMEN WILL FILL PLACE OF MEN.

### Farmers Are Short Handed and Ask For Feminine Workers.

The war which has called men to the front has called women to the fields to handle the farming tools which the patriot has dropped for the sharper weapons of war. From Kansas there has already come an appeal for field laborers and California is now beginning to feel the loss of her working men. Girls will fill the men's place and the great industrial army whose ranks who were thinned by the call to arms will be recruited from among the laboring classes of women.

A significant item in connection with this lack of farm laborers appears in a Danville paper where a large fruit holder calls for forty women to work in his orchards offering to pay good prices. They are wanted to pick cherries.

# NEWARK "SCORCHER" FATALLY INJURED.

## Two Others Seriously Hurt by Collididg With a Cab.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, June 15.—Frank Murphy, aged 40 years, is thought to be dying, and two other men named Thompson and Hunt are in the hospital at Newark as the result of "scorching" on the streets of that city to-day. Thompson and Hunt on a tandem and Murphy on a single bicycle were racing down Broad street, heads down, when a cab turned into the street. Murphy crashed into the cab with such force as to break the side of the vehicle, while the tandem riders struck it at almost equal velocity. Murphy's skull was fractured and Hunt and Thompson were hurt internally.

### An Irish Fair.

An Irish Fair will be opened at the Mechanics' Pavilion in San Francisco, August 20th and it will be a most elaborate affair. There will be industrial booths and exhibitions besides special Irish features.

Blarney Castle will rise toward the dome of the hall, with ivy clinging to its turreted tower and battlemented walls. Irish lads and lasses will dance before it to the weird tunes of bagpipes. Picturesque Tara Hall will occupy an important position in the building, and its noble proportions will be seen to advantage. Besides the Bank of Ireland building, Irish Houses of Parliament in Dublin, there will be a postoffice booth, Limerick race booth, a "rocky road to Dublin," the Lakes of Killarney, fishing pond and other important attractions too numerous to mention.

### In the Justice Court.

Belden & Cook have filed a suit in Judge Wood's court against E. C. Houston to recover $10 claimed as a fee for securing a loan of $300 for the defendant.

The suit brought by Mrs. Ellen Plunkett in Justice Wood's court for $70 damages which it is alleged was done to some lace curtains taken to be cleaned, is against the F & G Thomas cleaning and dying works.

### No Quorum of Directors.

There was no meeting of the Board of Directors of the Blind Home last night, as no quorum was present. With Colonel Smith being away from the county bound for Manila, and H. O. Trowbridge not having yet received his commission, only three are left. Of these, J. R. Hancock was absent, so there was no meeting.

### Street Improvements.

The Realty Syndicate has asked permission from the City Council to improve Sixteenth street from Peralto street westerly by private contract.

# SPANISH AT MANILA WERE NOT HEROIC.

## Much More Anxious to Surrender Than Fight.

### Commander of the Petrel Throws New Light on the Battle.

### LIEUTENANT HUGHES' BRAVERY.

### With a Boat's Crew of Seven Men He Burned Five of the Enemy's Vessels.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, June 15.—A mail report just received at the Navy Department from Commander E. P. Wood of the gunboat Petrel, under date of May 4th, gives an interesting account of the engagement at Manila Bay, supplementary to the report of Admiral Dewey.

After telling, substantially as set out in Admiral Dewey's report, of the forcing of the entrance to the bay, Commander Wood describes the action with the Spanish forts and fleet. He says the column of American ships circled three times from east to west in front of the shore, standing in a little nearer each time, the first circle being about 3,000 yards and the third time about 1,800 yards. Several times the vessels had to cease firing on account of smoke and to economize ammunition.

Most of the great gun fire was at the Reina Christina and Castilla, the former steaming around the harbor, and the latter anchored about 500 yards off Sangley Point, but the other and smaller vessels were fired at when opportunity offered. The fire of the rapid-fire guns was aimed especially at a yellow launch, which was a torpedo boat trying to turn the American flank. The navigator, B. A. Fiske, was stationed in the topmast with a stadimeter, to determine the distance and report upon the efficiency of the fire.

Commander Wood tells how the action was interrupted at 7:30 o'clock, in order to give the men breakfast. When it was resumed the Petrel rounded Sangley Point, about 500 yards outside of where the Castilla was burning. The fire was then directed at the Don Antonia de Ulloa, and when it was found that she was sinking and deserted the Petrel passed inside and opened fire upon the ships behind the inner breakwater, whose masts were seen above the government buildings. During the fire on the Ulloa a white flag with a Geneva cross was discovered in range of her, so the Petrel moved in further to get it out of range.

After the first two or three shots fired through the public buildings at ships behind the Mole, the Spanish flag was, at 12:30 P. M. hauled down and a white flag was run up. The surrender was immediately signalled to the fleet, and firing ceased. In obedience to a signal from the flagship to destroy all the ships in the harbor, Lieutenant Hughes was sent with a whale-boat and crew of seven men, this whale-boat being the only one on the ships which would float, and set fire to the Don Juan de Austria, the Isla de Cuba, the Isla de Luzon, the General Lenzo, and the Marquis del Duero.

Afterward Ensign Fermler was sent to set fire to the Velasco and El Correo. The Isla de Cuba, the Isla de Ulloa and the Juan de Austria were aground and full of water when they were fired. Their outboard valves were opened and the ships were allowed to fill. The breech plugs of the four-inch guns had been taken off and could not be found. During the fight the magazines of the Don Juan de Austria blew up. The Manila was not burned because the Spanish officers begged that she be not destroyed, being unarmed and a coast survey vessel, so she was put under steam and brought out. The Ulloa was sunk and the Christina and the Castilla were burned in the outer harbor.

Lieutenant Fiske of the Petrel went ashore and brought off two tugboats and three steam launches. There were no casualties on the ship and the ship was struck only once, beneath the hawser pipe by a piece of shell, which burst just as it sank. There was the greatest confusion in the arsenal. The men were all armed and were moving about, but showed no evidence of a desire to continue fighting.

Instead of resisting the destruction of their ships, the Spanish were rather inclined to assist, and to surrender to the first officer that they could meet.

On the Petrel there was less confusion than at ordinary target practice, the loading was rapid and the fire deliberate. The conduct of each and every officer and man was excellent. Commander Wood particularly called attention to the gallantry of Lieutenant Hughes in taking a boat's crew of seven men and, in the face of a large force on shore, setting fire to the five ships.


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